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## *Dedication*

*John A. Reising*  
1914 — 1936



To a member of the faculty for nearly a quarter of a century, and for twenty-one years in other localities a teacher, always creating and promoting interest in graces, not only in school but also in his outside activities in the church and in civic organizations, we dedicate this, the 1936 Caldron, - - - John A. Reising.

## Theme



The theme of this book is gracefulness, inspired by those three daughters of Jupiter: Aglaia, Thalia and Euphrosyne. Aglaia personifies brilliance, the awareness to all beauty about us shutting out the sordid, Thalia the bloom of life or the fullness of living as against a narrow hum drum rut and Euphrosyne representing joy, a true sister indeed of brilliance and bloom. Other attributes of these three sisters are grace, gentleness and beauty and with these present, many other worthy life qualities are surely to be mingled.

What lessons we moderns may learn from these mythological sisters, how our crude, rude and ruthless attitude toward the world would be changed could we but study the art of these ancients, what joy, fullness of life and brilliant understanding it would bring to these growing personalities of ours.

So also the decorations in this book are designed to carry out the idea of gracefulness by their rhythmic, harmonious lines.



# Classes







## Senior History



In the year 1932, an outstanding crop of boys and girls entered the portals of Central High School. Very soon after their entry they organized their class and began their activities. Bruce Hunt was honored with the presidency, while being ably assisted by Helen Doswell and Mildred Hawkins, vice-president and secretary-treasurer respectively. The Freshman party comprised their main activity for that year.

Guided through '33 by Helen Doswell, Ward Beers, and Mildred Hawkins, together with the social council, comprised of Bea Call, Ed Stumpf, Bruce Hunt, Lois Dennis, and Victor Boerger, the affairs of that year were marked by the usual successes of the class of '36. The advisors, Miss Emma Adams and Mr. John Reising aided in making the "Reindeer Hop" a huge success.

Another year passed and, as Juniors, the class chose Ward Beers, president; Bruce Hunt, vice-president; Mildred Hawkins, secy.-treas. These wise choices were assisted by Wilbur Kernan, Bea Call, Cecelia Bolson, Vivian Rider, and Vic Boerger, as social council members, and Miss Eva McKinnie and Mr. Meredith Aldred as class advisors. Their activities in '34 were begun by the "Toyland Toddle" and superbly climaxed by the Junior Prom, honoring the Seniors. Bea Call was popular choice for the Prom Queen.

But time marches on and already this band of ambitious freshmen have passed on to their Senior year. In this they were efficiently headed by Bob Kutsch, president; Bob Smith, vice-president; Lillian Hartman, Secy.-Treas.; and a social council of Vivian Rider, Ceceia Bolson, Jinny Heller, Bea Call, Ed Stumpf, Clara Bente, and John Collias. Miss Eva McKinnie and Mr. Robert Wyatt were chosen to help the class of '36 through its last year. The auspicious Senior play, "Shavings", was followed on February 7th by the Vodvil, staged together with the Caldron staff. As this class nears the last mile, it looks forward with a great deal of pleasure and yet no little regret to the baccalaureate, commencement dance, commencement ritual, and awarding of diplomas.




## *National Honor Society*



Thirty-one senior pupils of Central High School were named to membership in the National Honor Society with the completion of the Fall semester of school, for their outstanding scholarship, leadership, character and service. First left to right are: Sitting, Victoria Hartman, Cecelia Bolson, Lillian Hartman, Mildred Hawkins, Virginia Heller, Clara Bente, Ruth Peek, Geraldine Uhl; first row standing Kathleen McKay, Mabel Springer, Catherine Baker, Mildred Klopfenstein, Helen Long, Jean Beiersdorfer, Robert Kutsch; second row standing, Ward Beers, Victor Boerger, Edwin Stumpf, Bruce Hunt, Bill Hoover, Lester Doell, Max Ochstein, Morton Meier; third row standing Robert Smith, Jaehn Charlton, Steve Sitko, Fred Kabisch, Orville Mertz, Norman Schroeder, Louis Oetting, Eugene Roesener.

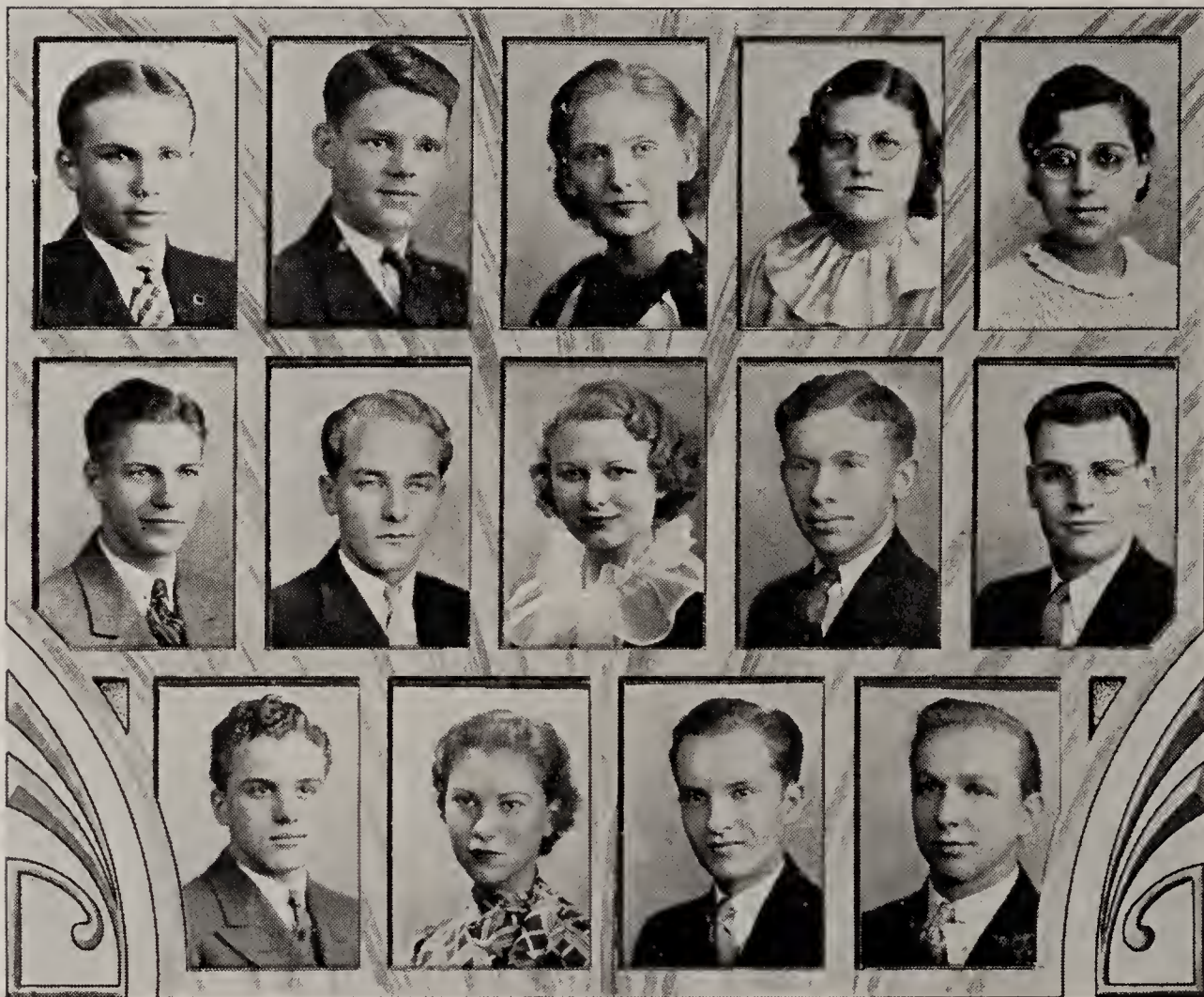




 As the class of '36 nears the finish of its high school career, members of the class finally begin to realize the significance of the phrase, "walks of life." With becoming zeal they have achieved the requirements necessary to enter one of these. At first it may be only a small lane which will gradually broaden into a walk. Some will choose new and unexplored paths while others will take to the wellworn highways. Very likely the occupation of many will be influenced by the studies or extra-curricular activities followed here at Central. Drama, music, journalism, oratory, art, social service, and all the professions will each claim its followers from the departing class.

Well, here's luck to you, seniors, and may your choice be a happy and profitable one.





*James Bitner*

Class of 1936

RUDOLF E. ALEXANDER

"Rudy"  
"Eddie"

EDWARD ARNEY

COLETTA ARONLD—"Blondie" Entered Central 1.

CATHERINE BAKER—"Kate" S. P. C. 2, 3, 4; Vice-Pres. 4; Christmas Play 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.

JOSEPHINE BALSAMO—"Jo" Friendship 3, 4.

JEROME BAUSSER—"Omie" Sr. Hi-Y 4.

KENNETH BLOMBACH—"Kenny" Sr. Hi-Y 4.

JEAN BEIERSDORFER

"English Shark"

Art Club 1; Friendship 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Booster Club 4; Christmas Play 4; Euterpean Club 3, 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.

HAROLD BATTENBERG

"Battenberry"

Band 3; Sec.-Treas. 4; Glee Club, Pres. 4; Booster Club 4.

HAROLD BAINBRIDGE

"Hain Brol"

WARD BEERS

"Squire"

Spotlight 1, 2, 3, 4; Sports Ed. 2, 3; News Ed. 3; Editor 4; Intramur I B. B. 1, 2, 3, 4; Math Club 3; Torch Club 1; Vod-Vil 3, 4; Centralite 2; Class Officer 2, 3, Pres. 3; Quill and Scroll 3, 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.

CLARA BENTE

"Lad, b'rd"

C. T. C. 1, 2; Friendship 3, 4; Sorosis 3, 4; Spotlight 3, 4; Booster Club 4; Social Council 4; Quill and Scroll 4; Vod-Vil 4; Art Club 3; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.

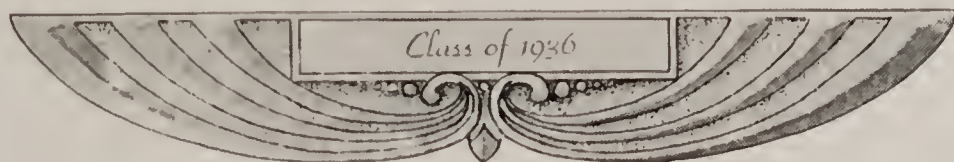
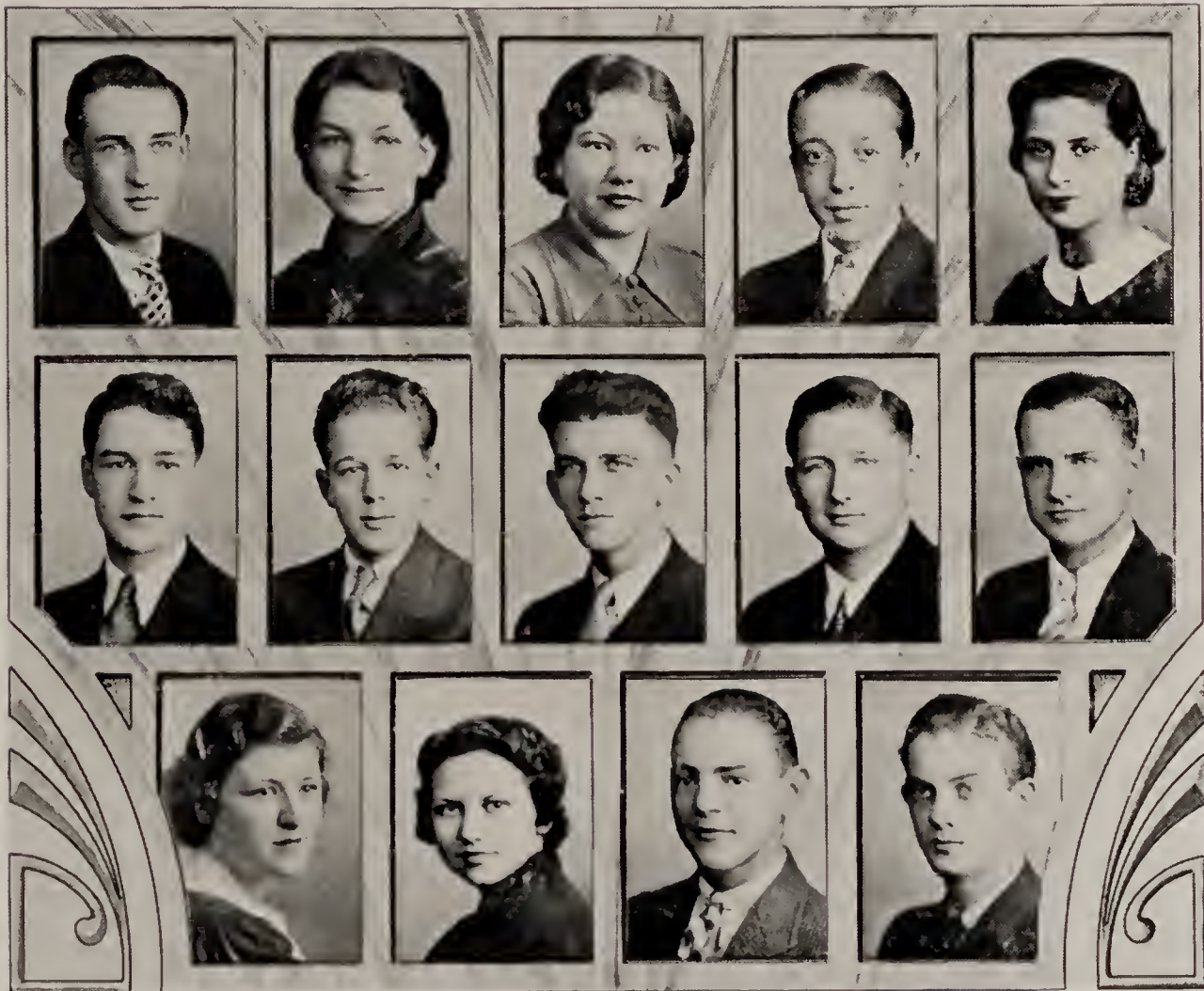
JAMES BITNER

"Jm"

STANLEY BEDNARSKI

"Stanley"





EDWARD BLOTKAMP—"Ed" Indiana Club 4.

THELMA E. BOEHM

"Thelma"

JANET BOWSER—"Ginger" Friendship 3, 4; Latin Club 2.

VICTOR BOERGER

"Gus"

Honor Soc. 4; Math Club 3, 4; Torch Club 1, 2; Hi-Y 3, 4; Spotlight 1, 2, 3; Caldron Sr. Ed. 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3; Booster Club 4; Student Council 3; Social Council 2, 3; Quill and Scroll 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.

C. CELIA BOLSON

"Sis"

Honor Soc. 1, 2, 3; Sec.-Treas. 2; Spotlight 1, 2, 3, 4; Ad. Mgr. 4; Caldron 2; S. P. C. 2, 3, 4; Booster Club 2, 3, 4; Vod-Vil 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Council 3, 4; Student Council 2, 4; One Act Play 4; Quill and Scroll 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.

CHALMER BOXELL

"Boxcar"

GAYOUS BRINDLE—"Gay" Came from S. S. in Sr. Year; Debate 4.

GEORGE BROWN

"George"

MELVIN BUCKMASTER

"Charlie"

PAUL M. BURNS—"Mike" Hi-Y 4; Spotlight 4.

ELIZABETH BURTON

"Beth"

Glee Club 1; Operetta 1; C. T. C. 1, 2; Vagabonds 3, 4; Sec. 4; Spotlight 4.

BEATRICE CALL

"Bea"

Jr. Prom Queen 3; Booster Club 2, 3, 4; C. C. 1, 2; Art Club 2, 4; Vod-Vil 2; Operetta 2; S. P. C. 2, 3, 4; Social Council 2, 3, 4.

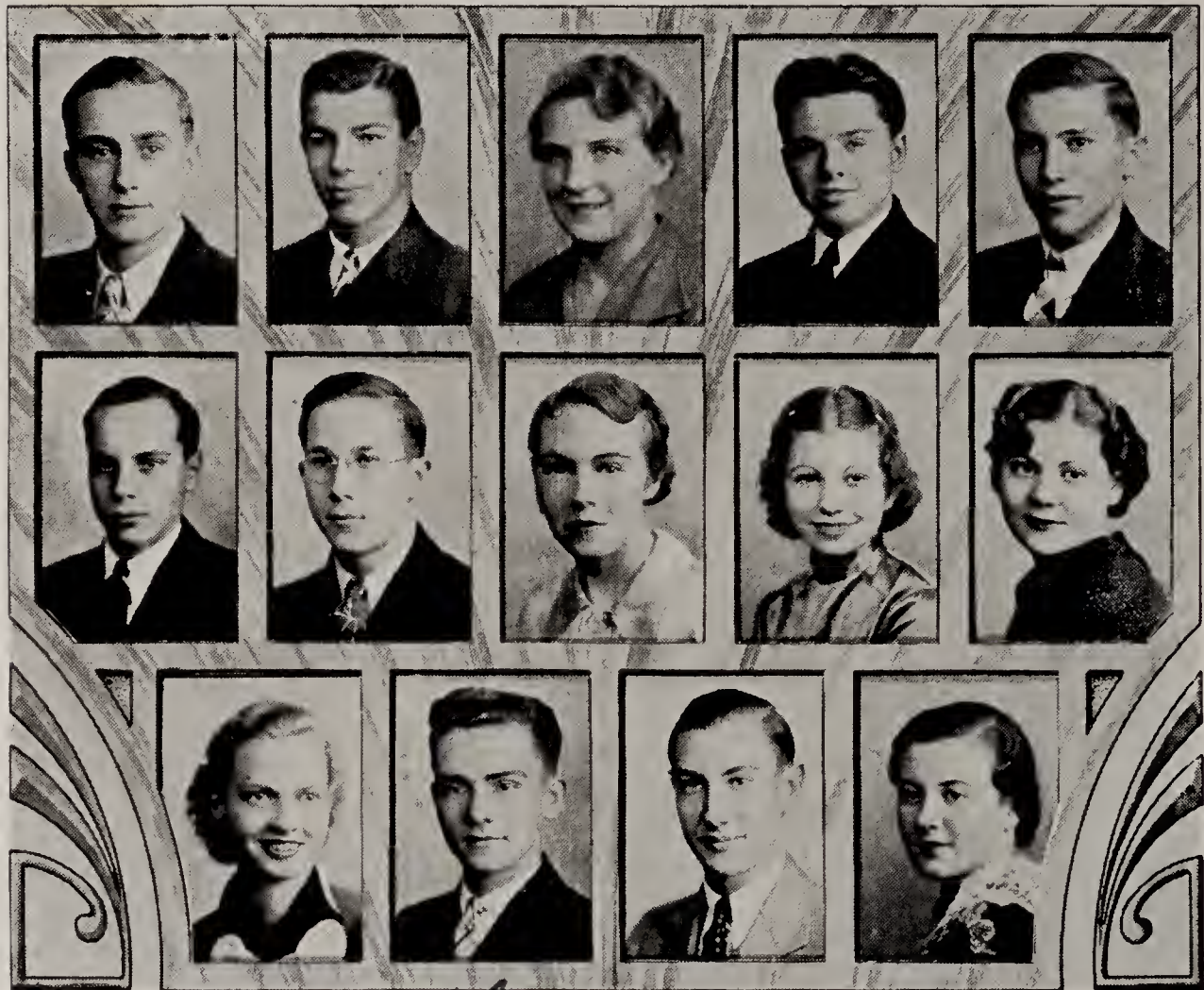
HOWARD CANTWELL—"Toots" Torch Club 1; Yell 1, 2, 3, 4; Booster Club 3, 4.

RICHARD CHELF

"Dick"

Came from Elmhurst in 2; S. P. C. 2; Rifle Club 2; Art Club 2, 3, 4; Spotlight 3; Band 2, 3; Orchestra 2, 3.





*Art Deuter*

Class of 1936

ROBERT COOMBS

JOHN GEORGE COLLIAS

Football 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Art Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Booster Club 4; Spotlight 1, 4.

MARGARET ELLEN COLLEY—"Margie Ella" C. T. C. 1; Friendship 3; Rifle Club 4.

ROBERT COWEN—"Flash" From South Side 4.

JACK CRANCE

Intramural 1, 2, 3; Student Manager 3; Hi-Y 4; Torch Club 1; Indiana Club 4; Art Club 4;

Rifle Club 4; Pres. 4; Booster Club 4.

NED CRUM—"Crummy" Sr. Hi-Y 4.

RICHARD CROWE

MARTHA IRENE CURRENT—" + or - " C. G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; Volleyball 3.

EILEEN DANAHER—"Lena" Friendship 3; H. E. C. 3; Vice-Pres. 3.

IDA MAY DAGER

C. T. C. 2; Friendship 3, 4; Vice-Pres. 4; Indiana Club 3, 4; Pres. 3; H. E. C. 3; Glee Club

MARY ELLEN DERCK

3, 4; Indiana Day Program 3; Booster Club 4.

Vod-Vil 1, 2, 3; Gym Exhibition 1, 2; Art Club 2, 3; S. P. C. 2.

ARTHUR DEUTER—"Art" From South Side 2; Indiana Club 3; Sr. Hi-Y 4.

LESTER A. DOELL

Band 1, 2, Mgr. 3, Drum-Major 4; Orchestra 2, Treas. 3, 4; Euterpean Club 2; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.

LUCILE A. DOOLITTLE

"Bob"

"Johnnie"

"Schnorkie"

"Dick"

"Not a Real Dagger"

"Derckie"

"Les"

"Lucy Do Much"





DORIS ELLYN DOSWELL

"How Well?"

Glee Club 1, 2, 4; Spotlight 3, 4; C. T. C. 1, 2; Vagabonds 3, 4; Art Club 4; Friendship 3; Operetta 1, 2, 4; A'Capella 3, 4.

WILLIAM DOWDEN

"Bill"

PAULINE EMBER—"Wimpy" Glee Club 1, 2.

ARTHUR ENGELKING—"Art" Radio Club 1; Spotlight 1, 2; Hi-Y 3.

ENDA BELLE ESTES—C. T. C. 1; Friendship Club 3, 4; S. P. C. 3, 4; Vod-Vil 3.

OTTO EXNER

"Otto" Mechanic"

PHYLLIS FARRELL—C. T. C. 1, 2; Friendship Club 3, 4.

DOROTHY FOX

"Foxy"

A'Capella 4; Basketball 1, 2; Volley Ball 1, 2; Baseball 2; Swimming 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; Spotlight 4.

S. WADE FREIGY—"Boojie" Torch Club 1, 2.

ANNE FUELBER

"Annie"

Spotlight 1, 2; Circulation Manager 2; C. G. A. A. 2; Tumbling 2; S. P. C. 2, 3, 4; One Act Play 3.

NORMAN GAILEY—"Norm" Band 2, 3; Orchestra 2, 3; Operatta 3.

HILLIS GALLMIFER

"Bunny"

Spotlight 1; C. T. C. 1, 2; Vice-Pres. 2; Glee Club 1, 2; A'Capella Choir 2, 3, 4; Vagabonds 4; Operetta 1, 2; Gym Exhib. 1, 2; Student Council 3, 4; Writers Club 2; Indiana Club 3, 4; Pres. 4.

BATES GAMBRELL

"Bingy"

SAM GANAWAY

"Good Grinding"

Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4.





- MARY KATHRYN GEPHART....."Mary Kathie"  
Friendship 3, 4; Rifle Club 4; Intra Club Council 4; Latin Club 2; Social Council 1.
- FRANK GARARD ..... "Pest General"  
S. P. C. 3, 4; One Act Play 3; Christmas Play 3; Operetta 3; Booster Club 4; Indiana Club  
3, 4, Sec. 3; Hi-Y 3, 4; Cheer Leading 3, 4.
- MELVIN FRED GICK..... "Gicky"
- FRANK GOLDSBY ..... "Garbo"  
Broad Jump 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Sports 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4.
- JESSE M. GIVENS..... "Old Springback"  
Track 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Art Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Minor Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4.
- KATHRYN GLOCK..... "Neal's Kid Sister"
- NARWOOD GOLDSBY ..... "Geetch"  
Intramural 1, 2, 3, 4; Library 3, 4; Track 3, 4.
- CARL A. GULBIN..... "Coal Bin?"
- HELEN HADE—"Helen of Hade"—Friendship 3; Indiana Club 3.
- MARTHA JANE GULDIN—"Janie"—Art Club 3, 4.
- VICTORIA HARTMAN..... "Vic"  
Entered from L. I. in Jr. Year—Home Ec. 3; Vice-Pres. 3; Friendship 3; Latin 4; Math. 4;  
Quill & Scroll 4; Honor Soc. 4; Spotlight 3, 4; Desk Ed. 4; Mang. Ed. 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.
- BERNARD HANEFELD—"Berne"—Hi Y 3, 4.
- MILDRED HAWKINS..... "Millie"  
C. T. C. 1, 2, Vice-Pres. 1, Pres 2; Latin Club 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; Vagabonds 2; S. P. C. 2, 3, 4;  
One Act Play 4; Christmas Play 4; Senior Play Lead 4; Booster Club 3, 4; Advisory Council  
3, Sec. 4; Spotlight 1, 2, 3; Math. Club 2, 3, 4, Sec. 3, Vice-Pres. 4; C. G. A. A. 2; Volley-  
ball 2; Basketball 2; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4; Gym Exhibition 1, 2; Class Sec. 1, 2, 3.
- LILLIAN HARTMAN..... "Itsie Bits'e"  
Friendship 3, 4, Pres. 4, Sec. 4; Home Ec. Club 3, Pres. 3; Sorosis 4, Pres. 4; C G A A.  
3, 4; Soccer 3, 4; Basketball 3; Baseball 3; Class Sec. 4; Spotlight 4; Circulation Mgr. 4;  
Honor Soc. 4; Math. Club 4; Booster Club 4; Gym Exhibition 3; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.





Class of 1936

VIRGINIA HELLER

Latin Club 2, 3, 4; Student Players Club 2, 3, 4; Rifle Club 3; Booster Club 3, 4; Advisory Council 3; Spotlight 1, 3, 4; Caldron 3, 4; Senior Ed. 4; Student Council 4; O'Quill & Scroll 4; Vice-Pres. 4; Vod-Vil 4; Social Council 1, 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.

Minnie Lou"

NANCY KATHRYN HECK

C. G. A. A. 4; Volleyball 3, 4; Soccer 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4.

"Nancy"

FREDERICK HEINKEL

Orchestra 1; Hi-Y 3; Intramural Track 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 2.

"Tink"

HOWARD HIGH—"How High" Orchestra 4; Vod-Vil 4; S. P. C. 4.

ESTHER HEMRICK

Art Club 1, 2, 3, 4; G'm Exhibition 1, 2, 3; Swimming 2, 3; Spotlight 4; Booster Club 4; Friendship Club 3.

"Pee-Wee"

LUELLA HOHNHAUS—"Shortie" C. T. C. 1; Soccer 1; Tap 3; Math. Club 2, 3, 4.

HARRY HUNTON—"Red" Library 3, 4.

ROBERT HOAGLAND—"Bob" Caldron 4.

FLORENCE HORMAN—"Flo" Indiana Club 3, 4; Treasurer 4; Field and Nature Club 4.

HELEN HORMAN

"Helen"

IRVIN JENSEN—"Rub'noff" Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4.

ELDA A. HOSTLER

C. T. C. 2; C. G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; Point Recorder 4; Treasurer 4; Soccer 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4.

BRUCE HUNT

"Taffie"

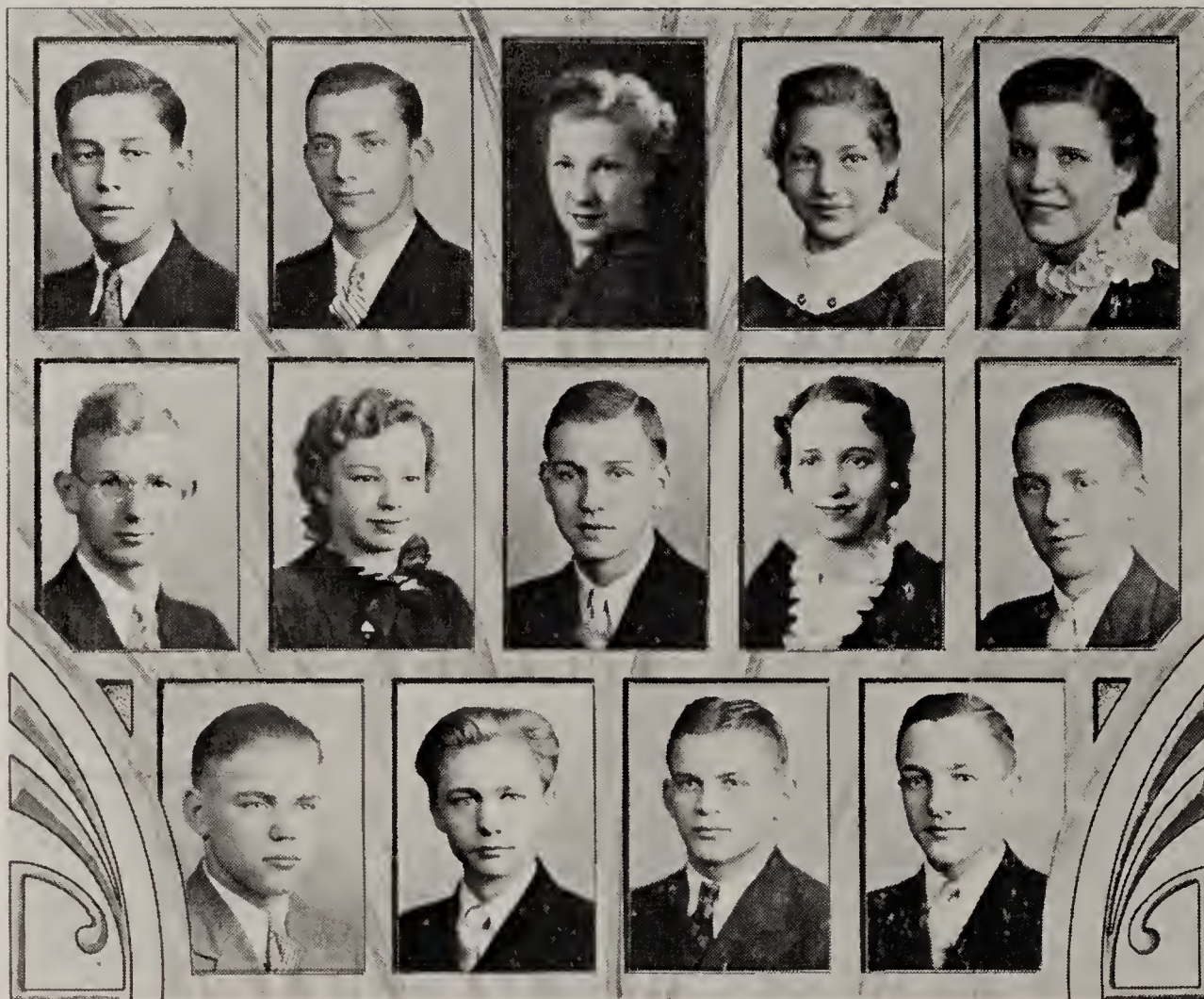
Class Pres. 1; Vice-Pres. 3; Torch Club 1, 2; Hi-Y 3; S. P. C. 3, 4; Pres. 4; Art Club 2, 3, 4; Booster Club 4; One Act Play 3, 4; Sr. Play 4; Operetta 3; Vod-Vil 3, 4; Christmas Play 3; Commencement Ritual 3; Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.

LILLIAN JONES

"One of the Jones Girls"

C. T. C. 1; H. E. C. 1, 2, 3; Treasurer 3; Math Club 2, 3, 4; Vice-Pres. 3; Sec. 4; Friendship 3.





Bob  
Kutsch

Class of 1936

HOWARD JORNOD

"Howie"

FRED KABISCH

"Fritz"

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1; Band 1; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.

BETTY KAUFMAN

"Bet"

Student Council 1; Operetta 1; Latin Club 2; Art Club 2, 3, 4; Indiana Club 4.

LENA MAE KIES

"Small but Mighty"

C. G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Point Recorder 2; Rifle Club 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Soccer 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Tumbling 1, 2, 3, 4; Tap 3, 4; Swimming 2; Exhibition 1, 2, 3, 4.

HILDABELLE KIGER

C. G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice Pres. 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Soccer 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Swimming 3, 4; Tumbling 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Tap 3, 4; Rifle Club 4.

ROBERT KIRBY

"Bob"

RUTH KORN

"Korny"

C. G. A. A. 1, 2; Volleyball 1, 2; Glee Club 4; A'Capella Cho'r 4.

LAWRENCE KOENEMAN

"Larry"

MILDRED KLOPFENSTEIN

"Micky"

Friendship 3, 4; Euterpean 3, 4; Honor Soc. 3; Orchestra 3, 4; Spotlight 4; Vagabonds 4; Glee Club 4; Student Council 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.

GEORGE KRUCKENBEG

"Red"

LAURENCE LAUER

"Larry"

Archery 1, 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; Torch Club 1, 2; Hi-Y 3, 4; Boosters 4; Stamp Club 1; Indiana Club 3, 4.

ROBERT LARIMER

"Bob"

Intramural Basketball 1; Spotlight 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Commencement Exercises 2.

ROBERT KUTSCH

"Our Pilot"

Class Pres. 4; Art Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Booster Club 4; S. P. C. 4; Caldron 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.





Kathleen E. McKay

RUTH M. LEPPER—"Goes for a Mummy" H. E. C. 3.

AVINELL LIPP

"Avie"

Glee Club 1; C. G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 3; Gym Exhibition 1, 2, 3.

HELEN LONG

"Any Relation to Huey"

Extemp. Winner 2; Debate 1, 2, 3, 4; Nat'l. Forensic League 2, 3, 4; Kiger Extemp. Winner 3; Booster 3, 4; Friendship 3; C. T. C. 1; Latin Club 2; Declamation 2, 3; City Extemp. 3; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.

IO ETHELYN MARBAUGH

C. G. A. A. 3, 4; S. P. C. 3, 4; Operetta 2, 3; Vodvill 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 2, 3, 4; Soccer 3, 4; Basketball 3; Extemp. 2; Debate 4.

DOROTHY MASURSKY

"Dot"

C. T. C. 1, 2; Spotlight 2, 3, 4; S. P. C. 3, 4; Boosters 3, 4; Vagabond 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; Sorosis 3, 4; Student Council 1, 3; One Act Play 3; Christmas Play 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Latin Club 3.

BERTHA LOUISE McCAGUE—"Boots" C. G. A. A. 4; Friendship 4.

KATHLEEN ELIZABETH McKAY

"Giggles"

Glee Club 1; C. T. C. 1, 2; Friendship 3, 4; Honor Soc. 4; Sorosis 4; Vagabond 4; Spotlight 4; Library 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 2; Extemp. 1, 2; Winner 2; Declamation Winner 2, 3; Senior Play 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4; S. P. C. 2, 3, 4; Sec. 4.

DOROTHY McKEE—Vagabond 4; Friendship 4; A'Capella Choir 1; Glee Club 1.

GALE MEEKS

"Handsome"

RODERICK McNAMARA—"Rod" Hi-Y 3, 4; Vice Pres. 3, 4; Pres. 4; Math Club 2, 3.

LORINE A. MEYER

"Sis"

MORTON MEIER

"Slim"

Philatel'c Soc. 2, 3, 4; Pres. 3; Chess & Checker 3, 4; Math Club 2, 3, 4; Booster 4; Latin Club 4; Debate 4; Honor Soc. 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.

ORVILLE MERTZ

"Mercury"

Came from L. I. 3; Honor Soc. 3, 4; Pres. 4; Spotlight 3, 4; Editor 4; Senior Play 4; Christmas Play 4; Math Club 4; Booster 4; Hi-Y 3; Vodvil 4; Student Council 3; S. P. C. 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4; Quill & Scroll 4.

EDWARD P. MENSING—"Boots" Band 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1; Orchestra 2.





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LAVON E. MEYER—"Bonnie" Glee Club 1, 2; Friendship 4; Rifle Club 4.  
 JOHN MILEFF—"Scalper John" Football 2; Track 3; Art Club 2.  
 STEVE MILEFF "Yo-Yo Shark"  
 BETTY MILLER "Bet"  
 RICHARD H. MILLER—"Dick" Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Art Club 4.  
 IVALOO MOOTS "Athletic"  
 C. G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Soccer 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4.  
 EARL C. MORRELL—Entered from C. C. H. S. 3; Stamp Club 3, 4.  
 RUSSELL MUELLER—"Russ" Rifle Club 2.  
 DALE E. MUMY—"Lepper's Man" Track 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2.  
 MARGARET NICHOLS "Myrtle Marie"  
 Latin Club 1, 2, 3; Spotlight 1; Booster 3, 4; Student Council 1; S. P. C. 2, 3, 4.  
 ANNETTE NIX—"Yeh, or Nix" Latin Club 3, 4; Sorosis 4; Honor Soc. 4; Rifle Club 4.  
 RICHARD NIXON "Bess"  
 Torch 1, 2; Hi-Y 3; Spotlight 1, 3; Math 2, 3; Latin Club 2; Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3; Student Council 1; Art Club 2.  
 EVELYN OBERLIN—"Buttonhole" Came to Central in Junior Year; Friendship 4.  
 MAX OCHSTEIN "Maxie"  
 Spotlight 1; Glee Club 1; Debate 2, 3, 4; Nat'l. Forensic League 2, 3, 4; Sec.-Treas 3; Pres. 4; Senior Play 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.





SARA OCHSTEIN

Sorosis 2, 3, 4; Vagabond 3, 4; S. P. C. 3, 4; Spotlight 1, 2, 3, 4; Caldron 3, 4; Student Council 2; Debate 3.

"Another Ochstein"

LOUIS JETTING

Surp Club 2; Honor Soc. 2, 3, 4; Commencement Ritual 3; Spotlight 4; Bus. Mgr. 4; Vagabond 4; Indiana Club 3; Quill & Scroll 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.

"Louie"

WILLIAM DYD GERALDINE OTT—"Jerry"

Glee Club 1, 2; S. P. C. 3.

SELMA PANDOFF—C. G. A. A. 3; Friendship 3, 4.

RUTH L. ECK

C. T. C. 1, 2; Sec.; Indiana Club 3; C. G. A. A. 2; Friendship 3, 4; Sorosis 4; Vagabonds

"Peek-A-Boo"

3, 4; Spotlight 4; Booster 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4; Commencement 3.

DORCAS L. ASHER—"Dork"—C. T. C. 1; Friendship 4; C. G. A. A. 4.

GERALD J. PERRIGUEY—"Jerry"

Hi-Y 4; Spotlight 4; Art Club 4.

JULIAN OLIVE POLLARD

DOROTHEA PRANGE

C. T. C. 1, 2; Vice-Pres. 2; Sorosis 4; Gym Exhibition 1, 2; C. G. A. A. 1, 2; Indiana Club 2;

"Freshie"

"Dotty"

Booster Club 4; Spotlight 3, 4; Friendship 3, 4; Treas. 4.

ALDA RANDOLF

MARY MARTHA RABUS

Booster Club 1; Art Club 3, 4; Vodvill 3; Student Council 1, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2, 3; Social

"Maudie"

Council 1; S. P. C. 2, 3, 4.

OTTO RICE

ISABEL L. RAYMOND

Booster Club 3, 4; Spotlight 3, 4; Operetta 2, 3, 4; Euterpean Club 2, 3, 4; Indiana Club 2, 3;

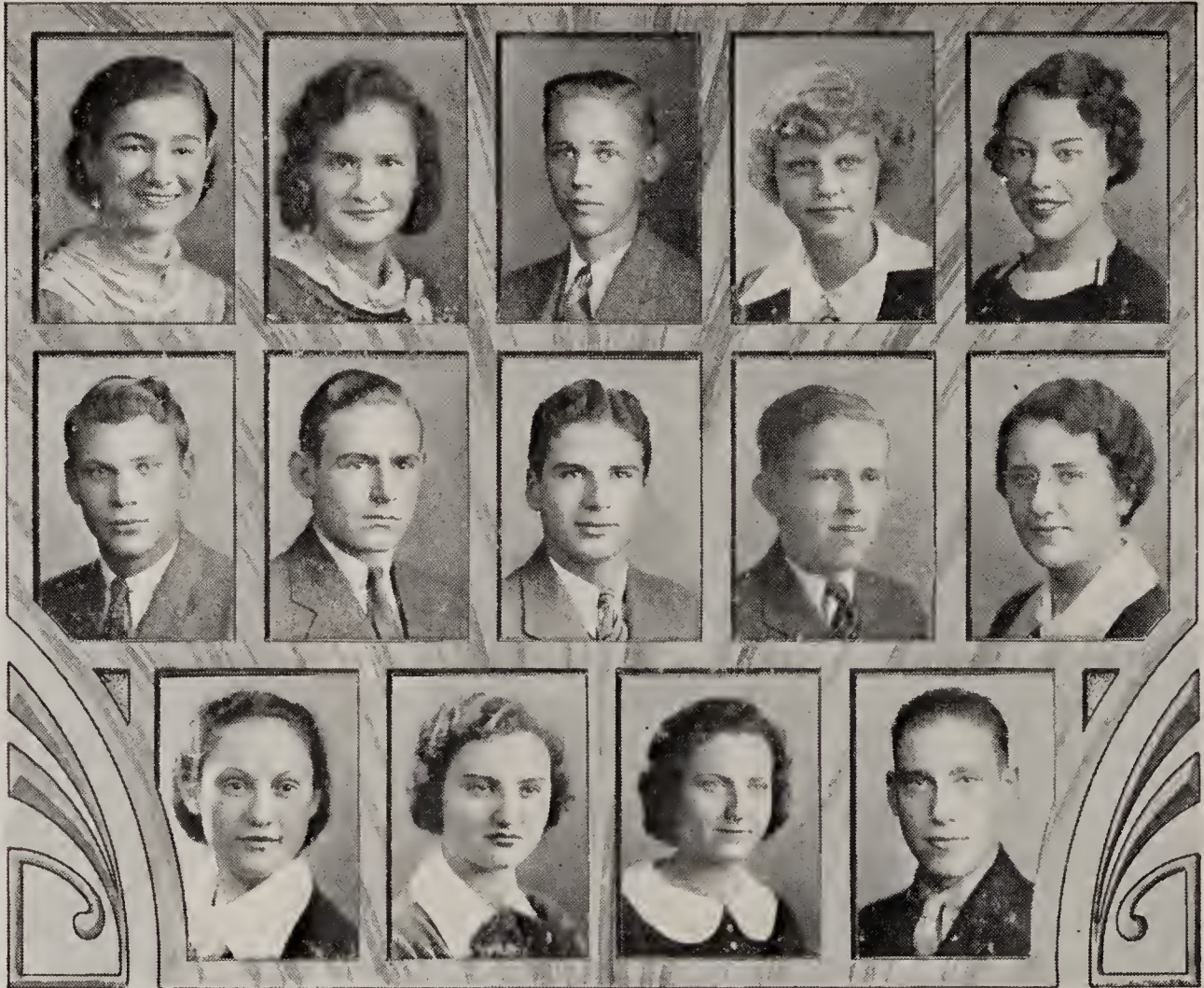
"Ott"

"Izzy"

Orchestra 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Sec. 4; A'Capella Choir 4; Sec-Treas 4; Gym Exhibition 1, 2;

Social Council 1.





Class of 1936

EVELYN RIDER—"Susie" Indiana Club 3.

HELEN RUMBAUGH

"Can She Rumba?"

C. T. C. 2; Indiana Club 3; A'Capella Choir 3, 4; S. P. C. 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Euterpean Club 3, 4.

EUGENE ROESENER

"Gene"

Art Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-Pres. 2; Honor Soc. 2, 3, 4; Vice-Pres. 3; Math Club 2, 3, 4; Treas. 3, Pres. 4; Caldron 3, 4; Bus. Mgr. 4; Quill & Scroll 4; Intramural Volleyball 2; Basketball 3, 4; Airplane 2, 3; Vod-vil 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.

BERTHA SCHAEFER

"Bert"

ELSIE B. RYDER—"Elsie" Entered Central from N. S. in 3; Friendship 3.

WILLIAM SCHMIDT

"Bill"

MELVIN SCHOTT

"Mel"

Airplane, Pres. 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3; Booster Club 3; Spotlight 2, 4; Caldron 4; Student Council 4.

JACK SCHRECK

"Jay"

Spotlight 1; Torch 1; Social Council 1, 2; Student Council 1; Intramurals; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; N. E. I. C. Champ 3; Art 3, 4, Pres. 4.

NORMAN SCHROEDER

"Normie"

Spotlight 4; Assistant Bus. Mgr. 4; Indiana Club 3; Honor Soc. 2, 3, 4; Vagabonds 4; Quill & Scroll 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.

ESTHER SCHULTZ — C. T. C. 1; Art Club 3; Vagabonds 3, 4.

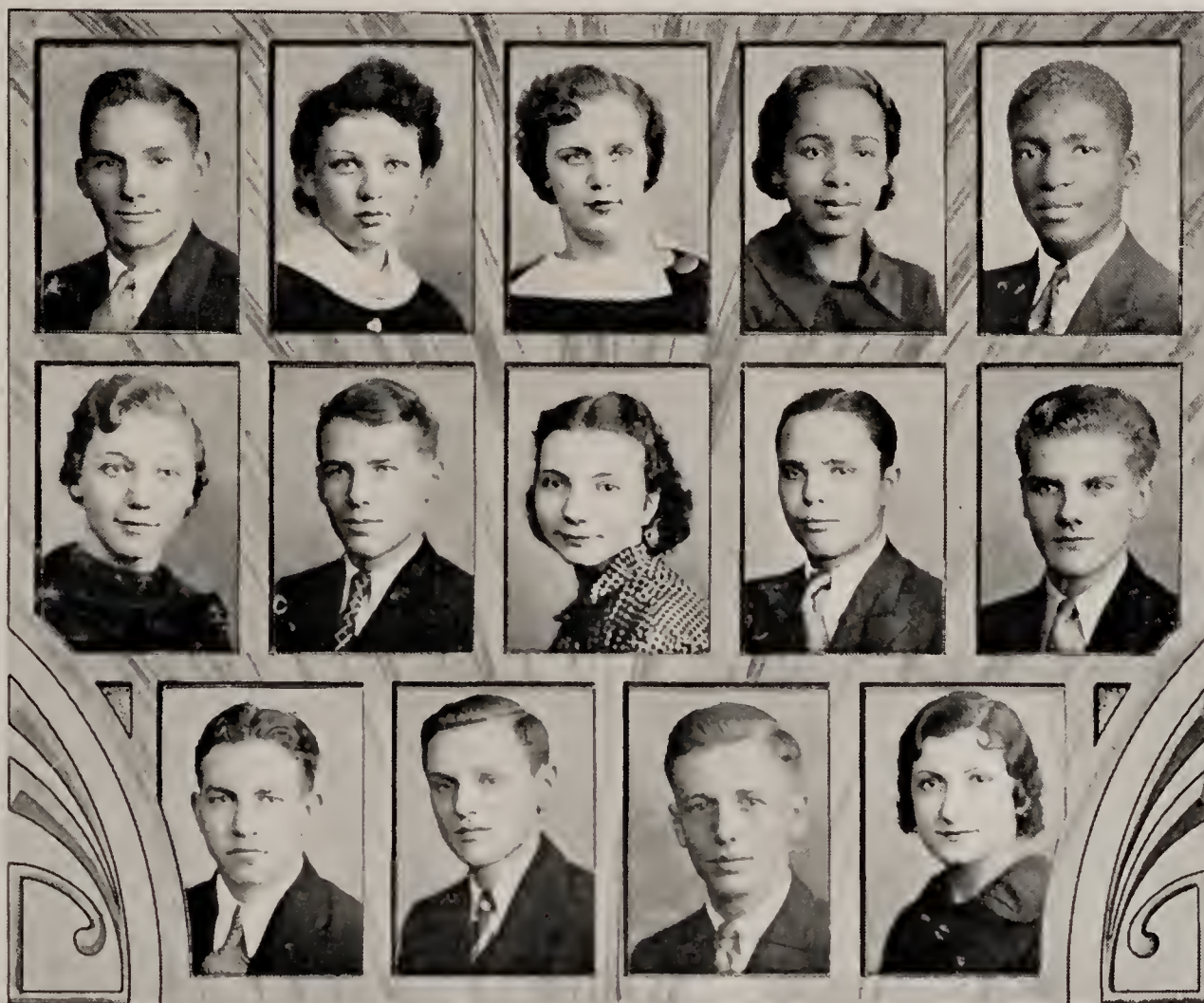
BEATRICE SCHUSTER—"Bea" S. P. C. 3, 4; Sorosis 3.

ETHELYN HOPE SHOCKY—"Hope" Student Council 1; Vagabonds 3; Art Club 2, 3.

MARGARET SHULL—"Marge" C. T. C. 1; Vagabonds 3, 4; Art Club 4.

FRANK SCHULTZ—"Dutch" Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 2, 3, 4.





Class of 1936

*Ed Stewart*

- STEVEN SITKO "Steve"  
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Capt. 4; All State Quarterback 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.
- LORETTA SLAGLE—"Babe" Spotlight 4.
- ELLEN SMITH "Penny"
- MILLICENT REIGN SMITH—"Smitty" Glee Club 3, 4.
- HERMAN SMITH—"Shag" Art Club 4; Ind. Club 3.
- MABEL SPRINGER "The Spotlight Girl"  
Hon. Soc. 1, 2, 3, 4; C. T. C. 1, 2; Pres. 2; Friendship 3, 4; Treas. 3; Operetta 1; Sorosis 3, 4; Vice-Pres. 4; Boosters 4; Spotlight 1, 2, 3, 4; Pub. 4; Quill & Scroll 4; Latin 2, 3, 4; Vodvil 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.
- ROBERT H. SMITH "Gaspard Huff"  
Band 1, 3; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; One Act Play 3, 4; Christmas Play 4; Sr. Play 4; Operetta 2, 3; S. P. C. 3, 4; Hon. Soc. 3; Torch 2; Boosters 3, 4; N. F. L. Sec. 4; Reising Dec. C. 3; Kiger C p 4; Gra. Winner 3; Vodvil 3, 4; Spotlight 1, 3, 4; Yell 4; Class Vice-Pres. 4; Quill & Scroll 3; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.
- GLADYS SPACKMAN "Glad"
- WALTER SPRINGER "One of the Springers"
- THEADORE E. SPORNHAUER—"Teedee" Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4.
- ROBERT STIELE—"Bob" Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2; Art Club 1, 4.
- ROBERT STEWART "Stwey Stewart"
- EDWIN STUMPF "Swatson"  
Caldron 1, 2, 3, 4; Assoc. Soc. Ed. 3; Editor 4; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Chairman 4; Adv Council 2, 3; Torch 1, 2; Pres. 2; Hi-Y 3, 4; Hon. Soc. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sec.-Treas. 2; Latin Club 2, 3; Spotlight 1, 2, 3; News Ed. 2; Math Club 2, 3, 4; Treas. 2; Vice-Pres. 3; Pres. 3; Vodvil 2, 3, 4; Quill & Scroll 3, 4; Pres. 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.
- CORNELIA SUCIU "Nellie"



Fred  
Tucker



Class of 1936

PATRICIA TRESSELT

"Pat"

Entered Central 2; Latin Club 2, 3; Art Club 2; Spotlight 2, 3, 4; Vagabonds 2; C. T. C. 2; Vod-vil 3.

DAISY TANNAS—"Day" Friendship 3, 4.

HELEN TESCUA

"Tescie"

C. G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Soccer 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Tap 2, 3, 4

WILLIAM THRESH

"Bill"

EDWARD TRUCHET

"Ed"

JACK TUCKER

"Unc Charlie"

Torch 1, 2; Hi-Y 3, 4; Stamp 1, 2; One Act Play 3; Student Council 2; Sr. Play 4; S. P. C. 2, 3, 4; Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3, 4; Spotlight 1, 2, 3.

FRED TUCKER

Spotlight 1, 2, 3, 4; S. P. C. 2, 3, 4; Writers' Club 3; Torch Club 2; Intramural Basketball 3, 4; Math Club 2; Hon. Soc. 4; Hi-Y 4; One Act Play 3.

VIRGINIA TUCKER—"Belle" Latin 1, 2; C. G. A. A. 2; Sports 1, 2; S. P. C. 2, 3, 4.

HELEN TURPCHINOFF—"Keemon" Friendship 3, 4.

GERALDINE UHL

"Jerry"

C. G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Vod-vil 2, 3, 4; Sports 1, 2, 3, 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.

JACK VENEMA—"Jack'e" Rifle Club 4.

WILLIAM VER BRYCK

"Bill"

Intramural Sports 2, 3, 4; Art Club 4; Student Council 1.

HERBERT WALL—"Herbie, Our Poster Man" Commencement Ritual 3; Posters 2, 3.

ROY WEAVER—"Studios Roy" Math Club 3, 4; Student Council 3; Intramural 1, 2.





CARL WIES NBERG—"Wezee" Band 1, 2; Football 3, 4.

ANNE WHEATLEY

"Grace"

Student Council 1, 2; Student Players 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 2, 3, 4; Spotlight 2, 3; Vodvill 2, 3; One Act Play 3.

MALISSA JANE WICKLIFFE—"Janie" Vodvil 2, 3; Operetta 2, 3; Glee Club 2, 3.

AUGUST LESTOR WIEGMAN—"Les" Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3.

JANETTE WILCOXIN—"Jan" Debate 2; Spotlight 4.

L. WAYNE WINTERS—"Summers" Harmonica Band 2, 3, 4; Math Club 3, 4; Hi-Y Club 4.

ZONETTA WINGET—"Zoney Wind" Friendship 3; Student Players Club 3, 4.

LORETTA WINKLER

"Wink"

Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Soccer 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Central Girls' Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Tumbling 1, 2, 3, 4; Exhibition 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Tap 3, 4; Spotlight 4; Swimming 4.

FRANK WINSEMAN

"Frankie"

Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3; Track 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Operetta 3, 4.

WANDA WORK—"Wanna Work?" Friendship 3, 4; Art Club 4.

EVA WUCKOVICH

"Eve"

C. T. C. 2; Friendship 3, 4; Indiana Club 3, 4; Treas. 4; Home Economics 3; Art Club 4.

RICHARD YANNEY—"Dick" Student Council 1.

BETTY BRATT

"Not a Bratt"

Central Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; Indiana Club 3; Boosters 3, 4; Library 2, 3, 4; Central Triangle Club 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Swimming 3, 4; Soccer 1, 3; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Tumbling 1, 2.

GEORGE BLOSSOM

"Flowers from a Blossom"

Spotlight 2; Latin Club 2, 3; Secretary 2; Orchestra 3, 4; Band 3, 4.





Class of 1936

ROBERT BROWN

"Bob"

Football 4; Basketball 4; Track 3, 4; Intramural Sports 1, 2; Touch Football.

ALTHEA BROWN

HELEN BROWN

JAEHN CHARLTON

"Eddie Tolan"

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; I. M. Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Hunting and Fishing Club 1, 2; Nat'l. Ath. Honor Soc. 2, 3; Honor Society 2, 3, 4; Indiana Club 2, 3, 4; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 4.

FRANCIS DEMPSEY—"Ducky" Glee Club 3, 4; A'Capella Choir 4.

ROBERT GILLETTE—"Bob" Harmonica Band 2.

ARTHUR FAYLOR

"Art"

WALTER MAURICE JORDAN—"Bill" Orchestra 2, 3; Art Club 4; Intramural Sports 2, 3.

ALEX KATTAS

"Alex"

HENRY LANTZ, JR.

"Mowgli"

Torch 2; Sr. Hi-Y 3, 4; Chaplain 4; Indiana Club 3; Sec. 4; Honor Soc. 4; Spotlight 4.

GEORGE McNEAL—"Mac" Torch Club 2; Rifle Club 3.

LUCILLE LINSKY

"Squeak"

C. G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Soccer 2, 4; Basketball 2; Gym Exhibition 1, 2, 3.

LOUISE SEALS

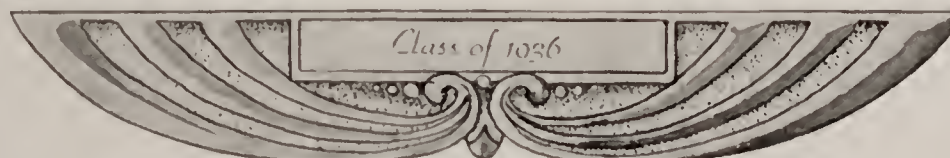
"Louie"

JAMES SCHROFF

"Pop"

Varsity Track 2, 3, 4; Reserve Basketball 3; Student Council 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 4.





ROW ONE: Martha Blanks, John Dietel, Lucille Emerson, Donald McAleece, Reginald Shull.  
ROW TWO: William Speck, James Monroe, Thomas Rose, Otto Seitz, Paul Tanner.

*Additional Seniors*

Robert Bash  
Paul Billman  
Claude Benward  
Max Boles  
John Bryant  
Morris Castle  
Leo Daniels  
Dallas Disler  
Christopher Dixie  
Max Evans  
John Garvin  
Robert Gebhard  
Carl Gulbin  
Wallace Hamm  
Fred Haner  
Robert Hartsough  
Catherine Hite  
Edward Hoffman  
Marian Holman  
William Hoover

Edward Jamison  
William Jones  
Clare Katzenmaier  
Jacob Kerns  
Wibur Kerns  
Howard Keuneke  
Elwood Kinney  
Donald Klaren  
Earl Klingenberger  
Alex Krajenski  
Jack Kreckman  
Walter Lorenz  
James McDonald  
Gale Meeks  
Edward Mensing  
Benjamin Mourning  
Carl North  
Helen Phinney  
Leroy Pontius  
Joseph Prezbindowski

Jesse Reichelderfer  
Howard Reinking  
Janet Rothert  
Charles Schafer  
Robert Scott  
Hope Schockey  
Neal Schoppell  
Margaret Shull  
Wayne Smith  
Grace Songer  
Delores Sorgen  
Orel Sprunger  
Alice Stabler  
Jo Anne Sterling  
Harold Stout  
Maurice Vought  
Chris Weigmann  
Roger Williams  
Maurice Zarbrugg



*Dignified Seniors*  
*in*  
*Undignified Moments*



EDWIN STUMPF - Pounding furiously with gavel to bring order in Booster meeting.

MILDRED HAWKINS - Screaming and wildly gesticulating at a Central basketball game.

CECELIA BOLSON - Careening blindly down Calhoun Street in search of ads.

JACK SCHRECK - Trying to explain his latest joke to Miss Zent by illustrative gestures.

EUGENE ROESNER - Coming into contact with the frozen aqua on all fours in front of the Lewis Street door.

VIRGINIA HELLER - Pounding on locker, taking the steps two at a time, rushing down 2nd floor hall, and falling into her seat. just as the tardy gong peals forth.

ROBERT SMITH - Spilling saw-dust on his "crowning glory" in the senior play.

BRUCE HUNT - Sitting on the easy side of the hall during monitor duty 3rd period in hopes that the girl will get all the slips.

RICHARD NIXON - Coming to school with his curly locks parted and combed, only most of it is standing on end.

VIRGINIA TUCKER - Talking engagingly to Jack Paul unobserving of the gallery of interested onlookers gathering on the stairs.

ROBERT HOAGLAND - Pulling the hair of the girl in front of him in civics class.

ROBERT KUTSCH - Trying to explain that the story of his gift to a fair lady minus his name, attributed to his bashfulness, was very untrue.

ANNE WHEATLEY - Wearing dark glasses, but explaining painstakingly to everyone that no one had hit her.

MARGARET NICHOLS - Eating hamburgers at Gardner's with pickles, onion, and mustard, both.

WARD BEERS - Not knowing the answer to one of Mr. Wyatt's questions for a change.

ESTHER HEMRICK - Running around the halls with her bangs pinned up.

MARY MARTHA RABUS - Laughing too heartily at one of her own practical jokes. Well, someone has to laugh at them, so why not me, is her philosophy.

## Junior History



When the present Juniors first entered Central in 1933 they inaugurated their freshman year by electing class officers James Koegel was chosen president, Alfred Falk, vice-president and Mary McAnlis, secretary-treasurer. Members of the social council were Lloyd Altekruise, Jane Bash, Jean Bratt, Dorothy Bentz and Mae Rose Slagle and the advisors were Miss Marian Ingham and Mr. Turpin. In November the class held its first party, the largest freshman party ever held here. Games and dancing provided entertainment. Another party was held in May at which the new 9B's were the guests of honor.

Last year the class began its sophomore year by electing the following class officers; president, James Koegel, vice-president, Jane Bash and secretary, Paul Ream. The social council included Karl Pappert, Mary McAnlis, Donna Neu, Edith Reusch and Elizabeth Lanier. The advisors chosen were Miss Zent and Mr. Ashley and the outstanding social event was the George Washington Tea Dance.

This year Irving Latz has been chosen president, Karl Pappert, vice-president and James Koegel, secretary-treasurer. Members of the social council are Jack Paul, Elizabeth Lanier, Jane Bash, Anna Boehme, and Edith Reusch. Miss Smeltzley and Mr. Cleaver are the advisors. On December 6, the Junior class presented its annual tea dance, the Reindeer Romp. The Juniors also led the semester honor roll, thirty one students qualifying. They are: Geraldine Baker, Marguerite Baker, Jane Bash, Ethel Bebout, Kathleen Bolyard, Helen Boakes, Maxine Brand, Jean Collins, Frank Ebersole, Alfred Falk, Kathryn Goodwin, Robert Hickman, Verna Hoepfner, Emily Jagow, Maurice Jones, Robert Klaehn, Elizabeth Lanier, Irving Latz, Mary McAnlis, Rose Masursky, Helen Mertz, Louise Peek, Jane Pollak, Clara Rhodes, Ruth Seigel, Mae Rose Slagle, Dorothy Staley, Elmer Ulric, Margaret Walker, and Robert Williams.





Kathleen  
Bolyard.

ROW ONE: I. Altekruze, J. Alter, C. Anderberg, P. Armstrong, D. Arnold, J. Arnold, G. Baker  
ROW TWO: E. Bak, M. Baker, L. Barr, J. Bash, R. Batchelder, E. Bebout, P. Bengs. ROW THREE: P. Bibbo, C. Bickel, W. Bierbaum, J. Blaugh, A. Boehm, C. Bolyard, A. Bowser. ROW FOUR: H. Braden, M. Brand, J. Bratt, T. Brown, W. Brown, F. Buckmaster, V. Bullerman. ROW FIVE: H. Bultmeier, H. Burchman, L. Burton, H. Buuck, M. Byrd, H. Clay, N. Collias. ROW SIX: J. Collins, M. L. Cory, A. Cox, E. Crapser, E. Croy, P. Dennis, J. Dern. ROW SEVEN: K. Dickson, H. Diehl, M. Diemetroff, E. Dix e, J. Dollering, D. Doswell, R. Ecenbarger. ROW EIGHT: M. Edsall, M. Fabian, A. Falk, D. Feaser, D. Fortney, C. Figel, L. Figel.





*Don Jenkins*

ROW ONE: N. Fousgnaught, E. Fraser, M. Frazer, R. Freeman, M. Gage, K. Gardner, E. Gaylord. ROW TWO: B. Beary, L. Gepfert, M. Geise, R. Gerwig, W. Gherkan, E. Goodman, K. Goodwin. ROW THREE: L. Graft, H. Griffith, G. Gunder, J. Halter, B. Halier, A. Hardeck, Evelyn Harim. ROW FOUR: H. Hask, B. Hawk, B. Hearst, H. Heck, B. Hern, F. Hibbins, R. Hickman. ROW FIVE: L. Hinton, V. Hoepfner, E. Horner, R. Houser, E. Jagow, L. Jamison, D. Jenkins. ROW SIX: A. Jones, J. Jones, D. Junk, C. Keller, H. Kerns, R. Kessinger, I. Kingle. ROW SEVEN: P. Knapp, J. Knupp, J. Koegel, L. Koon, E. Kruder, E. Kruse, M. Labrato. ROW EIGHT: E. Lanier, J. Larimore, J. Larz, C. Layman, B. Leonard, G. Lipp, P. Lipp.





ROW ONE: J. Lord, L. McQueen, M. McAnlis, E. McCutchson, J. Magnuson, R. Mann, M. Manuel.  
ROW TWO: L. Manest, R. Masursky, H. Mee, D. Meehan, H. Mertz, V. Millinger, E. Miller. ROW THREE:  
M. Miller, M. Miller, H. Monnier, E. Morrell, E. Motter, T. Motter, L. Meyer. ROW FOUR: R. Nathan,  
D. New, A. Nix, V. Noll, J. Ottenweller, M. Owens, K. Pappert. ROW FIVE: H. Parent, J. Paul, L. Peek,  
H. Penrode, J. Pollak, R. Ponset, H. Portman. ROW SIX: R. Rasp, M. Rathert, R. Rausch, L. Redmon,  
E. Resiner, E. Reusch, L. Reber. ROW SEVEN: D. Roach, H. Robinson, J. Rodebaugh, D. Roembke, N.  
Resor, T. Roth, P. Rosenbarger. ROW EIGHT: A. Russell, T. Salmon, R. Sandkuhler, H. Schafer, L.  
Scherer, J. Schone, B. Schubert.





*Phil Stettin*

*Jeff Wallace*

*"Jimmy" Young*

ROW ONE: P. Schwehn, B. Seabold, M. Seals, A. Seidel, R. Segel, E. Shater, D. Shearer ROW TWO: D. Sheets, S. Sebold, R. Sebold, E. Simmers, L. Sisko, J. R. Slagle, J. Smith. ROW THREE: R. Sorgen, R. Spackman, E. Sommers, L. Spillers, D. Staey, E. Stanton, R. Stettin. ROW FOUR: R. Stottard, B. Sutton, J. Teagarden, R. Teeter, E. Teschke, D. Teleschow, R. Tescula. ROW FIVE: V. Torbeck, B. Tilker, E. Timmis, L. Tucker, E. Ueber, G. Uhl, G. Ulrich. ROW SIX: M. Ulrich, V. Vollmer, H. Vonderau, V. Wagner, M. Walker, L. Wallace, M. A. Wallace. ROW SEVEN: A. Weinberg, C. Wilbaum, E. Wigfall, R. Williams, R. Williams, L. Wilds. ROW EIGHT: E. Wilson, D. Winfield, E. Worman, P. Wright, E. Wolf, N. York, V. Young.





# Sophomores

From here on



*Rush  
Herman*



ROW ONE: D. Bourne, J. Davies, M. Dunlap, W. Hamm, R. Lammatzse, D. Zeigler, D. Zentz, ROW TWO: G. Zimmerman. ROW THREE: M. Bahr, H. Brooks, R. Cleveland, H. Cramer, I. Exner, S. Ferguson, T. Gerenau. ROW FOUR: R. Herman, D. Hauck, R. Jacobs, F. Kerurley, M. Lee, J. Mart ndale, E. Meyers. ROW FIVE: R. Money, P. Moore, L. Meyer, H. Patterson, E. Peek, M. Putt, J. Rast. ROW SIX: J. Roeneck, M. Roop, M. Rorbaugh, Sakey, T. Shaw, D. Snyder, Zents.



### *Sophomore Officers*



ROW ONE: Marion Cabler, Catherine McKay, Betty Roquet, Betty Bitner.

ROW TWO: Robert Reese, Helen Ashley, Anne Tucker, Jeff Mitchell and Mr. Turpin, advisor.

### *Sophomore History*



The class of '38, having entered the doors of Central in '34, started their official Central career by electing class officers for the Freshmen year in December '34. They were: Herschel O' Shaughnesey, president; Marietta Enderly, vice-president; and Thelma Springer, secretary-treasurer. The social council was composed of: Marian Cabler, Anne Tucker, Robert Reese and Bill Spackman. The class advisors in the first year were Miss Marian Ingham and Mr. Robert Dornte. The Freshmen party was held in order that the members might become better acquainted.

In their Sophomore year the activities of the class are even less. Their election named the following officers. Jeff Mitchell, president; Anne Tucker vice-president; and Helen Ashley, secretary-treasurer. Betty Bitner, Marian Cabler, Catherine McKay, Betty Racquet, Bill Spackman, and Robert Reese served on the social council. Miss Hawkins and Mr. Turpin are the advisors.

Those who made the Honor Roll ending January '36 are: Jean Bergquist, Marian Cabler, Betty Davis, Mary Farrell, Marie Franke, Jean Lorenz, Edward O'Kourke, Herschel O'Shaughnesey, Harold Patterson, Robert Reese, Gene Richards, Marie Rittenhouse, Salem Shahan and Clyde Welbaum.





*Lucille  
Baumgartner  
"38"*

*Betty  
Bitter*

*Marion  
Calden*

*Margaret Clayton*

ROW ONE: R. Amones, E. Anderson, J. Anspach, M. Armstrong, L. B. Arnold, M. Babcock, B. Bahr.  
ROW TWO: M. Bahalar, M. Baker, P. Banghem, M. Barner, V. Barlett, L. Baumgartner, T. Bayless.  
ROW THREE: S. Beers, V. Bennett, C. Benoy, D. Bentz, B. Berhoff, M. Bibbs, B. Bitner.  
ROW FOUR: R. B't-zinger, F. Bliss, S. Board, V. Boechet, G. Boerger, G. Bogan, D. Bohde.  
ROW FIVE: A. Bollinger, D. Bolton, B. Bolyard, B. Borne, L. Bosell, M. Bosserman, L. Bowers.  
ROW SIX: J. Bradford, E. Brady, R. Brown, M. Buckmaster, E. Bultimeyer, M. Burns, E. Busse.  
ROW SEVEN: B. Byerley, M. Cabler, D. Calvin, W. Calvin, M. Carter, K. Castor, F. Celarek.  
ROW EIGHT: J. Celarek, S. Ceccanese, H. Chambers, M. Clayton, V. Cleveland, B. Cline, D. Cline.





ROW ONE: B. Conley, V. Cowan, Va. Cowan, P. Criswell, B. Davis, K. Davies, M. Day. ROW TWO: T. Dikty, H. Doenges, H. Drake, W. Eastman, Eastman, B. Edsall, H. Elmer. ROW THREE: D. Embertin, R. Emrick, C. Enderle, M. Enderle, M. Farrell, G. Firestein, R. Fleischer. ROW FOUR: O. Flemming, C. Hughes, K. Flutter, J. Fox, M. Franke, E. Fuhrman, B. Fuller. ROW FIVE: H. Funk, E. Gebhart, R. Gerke, S. Gerke, R. Goodman, F. Graham, E. Green. ROW SIX: J. Harlier, M. Harris, B. Hartley, D. Hartman, M. Hattersley, M. Hanchar, J. Heemsoth. ROW SEVEN: H. Heinline, J. Henderson, D. Herbst, M. Hern, V. Hess, S. Hess, W. Hibler. ROW EIGHT: B. Hillman, J. Hoagland, C. Hogan, B. Hohnhaus, B. Holmes, F. Hopson, F. Hostler.





*John King*

ROW ONE: C. Hunt, B. Huntine, D. Huth, R. Immel, V. John, E. Johnson, W. Jones. ROW TWO: D. Jump, A. Kaiser, M. Kamphus, R. Karns, J. Kellog, J. King, B. King. ROW THREE: R. K'ssinger, R. Kite, D. Kitzmiller, F. Koehl, V. Koontz, R. Krasienko, F. Kotke. ROW FOUR: I. Krot, A. Kyler, J. Langas, H. Lantz, M. Lemke, R. Lester, D. Liddy. ROW FIVE: D. Lindenberg, R. Lipp, B. Livingstone, J. Lorenz, R. Lorrin, B. Lupkin, B. Lyons. ROW SIX: V. McClymonds, W. McCormick, C. McKay, P. McNeal, J. Majors, W. Malone, E. Margolies. ROW SEVEN: K. Marks, A. Martin, E. Marsh, F. Martens, H. Masloob, J. Masursky, H. Meads. ROW EIGHT: R. Means, B. Mealing, E. Meinzen, P. Meise, B. Melser, T. Merchant, J. Meyer.





Herschel  
"Lisel"  
O'Shaughnessy

2.0.  
B. O. Banks  
Betty  
B. B. B. B. B.  
Manning  
J. O. O. O. O.

ROW ONE: P. Meyer, J. Michell, W. Miller, J. Miller, G. Mills, P. Moore, R. Montgomery. ROW TWO: H. Moran, L. Mowan, A. Mudd, W. Meyer, K. Nichols, R. Nichter, L. Nard. ROW THREE: A. Nordyke, R. O'Connor, E. O'Rourke, H. O'Shaughnessy, Milo Osburn, Marciel Osburn, C. Ostrowski. ROW FOUR: H. Pelz, R. Perkins, H. Philo, T. Perce, V. Plathe, J. Porter, F. Powers. ROW FIVE: H. Prange, F. Prather, M. Prough, B. Raquette, F. Redmon, G. Reed, R. Reese. ROW SIX: M. Reginald, M. Reinhold, A. Rise, E. Richardson, R. Richardson, L. Riddle, M. Riley. ROW SEVEN: M. Rittenhouse, T. Roberts, M. Robinson, J. Ray, A. Ruch, M. Russell, A. Sacowieg. ROW EIGHT: B. Scherer, A. Schmidt, L. Scretton, W. Shepard, F. Sitko, C. Skekloff, E. Smith.





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## Freshmen



For freshmen it is extremely desirable to join some activity as soon as possible after entering high school. At Central there are quite a few possibilities of clubs and organizations in which a freshman can participate.

For all girls of the youngest class is open the Central Triangle Club. It is a part of the International Girl Reserves organization and the Y. W. C. A. Its motto is to "Help and Be of Service to All." Miss Austin is the present advisor of this group. The Delvers Club was formed by girls with at least a B grade in English so that they might increase the extent of their reading. 9B, 9A and 10B girls are permitted to join this society, under the leadership of Miss Brown, if they possess a B grade, or higher, in English.

Any freshman playing a musical instrument is able to play in the band or orchestra, both so ably conducted by Mr. Gaston Baihle, himself a well known violinist. The band practices on Tuesday and Friday the fifth period, while the orchestra practices the same period on Monday and Thursday. Pupils who desire voice training may join one of the glee clubs, there being one for boys and one for girls. The glee club members are always used in the chorus songs of the annual operetta.

The Torch Club, the group of boys under Mr. Ashley's guidance, is composed of freshman and sophomore boys. This club is affiliated with the Y. M. C. A. in the same manner as the Hi Y Club.

Freshmen taking Latin are eligible to become members of the Latin Club, directed by the three teachers of that subject Miss Harrah, Miss Lucasse and Miss Mc Kinnie. The Honor Society is open for all freshmen who fit the requirements of that club. One or two freshmen are representatives in the Booster Club for the class or one of the clubs for the two younger classes.

Freshmen students, desirous of journalistic fields, may work on the Spotlight. Two freshmen editors are named each for the yearbook, the Caldron.



## Outstanding Already As Freshmen

Jeanne Patrick and Doris Horn Time leaps ahead in the freshman class and these gals tryed to keep up with it for the Caldron. They are Freshmen Editors.

Charles Rothschild and Agnes Yarnell'e Their Latin is probably terrible but they belong to the Latin Club and love it.

Lester Carey and Edwin Falk Our child proteges. Some day will be great actors or stage managers. They are members of Student Players.

Robert Duell and Raymond Heine Just to look at them you'd never guess it, but they're debators!

Mary Lauer and Alda Mertz It is supposed to be kept a secret, but Mary is editor of Freshman Scoops for the Spotlight. Now is your chance to get even. Freshies. Alda is a reporter for the English Club on the staff.

Harrison Richardson and Kenneth Rice Just to think that some day we will be yelling "Rice" or "Duke" instead of "Curly" or "Steve". You see Rice and Duke are on the reserves.

Violet Battenberg and Betty Payton Betty can certainly "foot her own horn" and little Violet directs the band like a professional. They belong to the band.

Kathyrn Simon Our Freshman Booster and did she work at the Sectional!

Marvel Maxwell What vaudeville, Tea Dance, or Operetta would be complete without that Marvel, Maxwell.

Sis Arnold She goes out for everything in athletics and they say she is really good (at basketball).

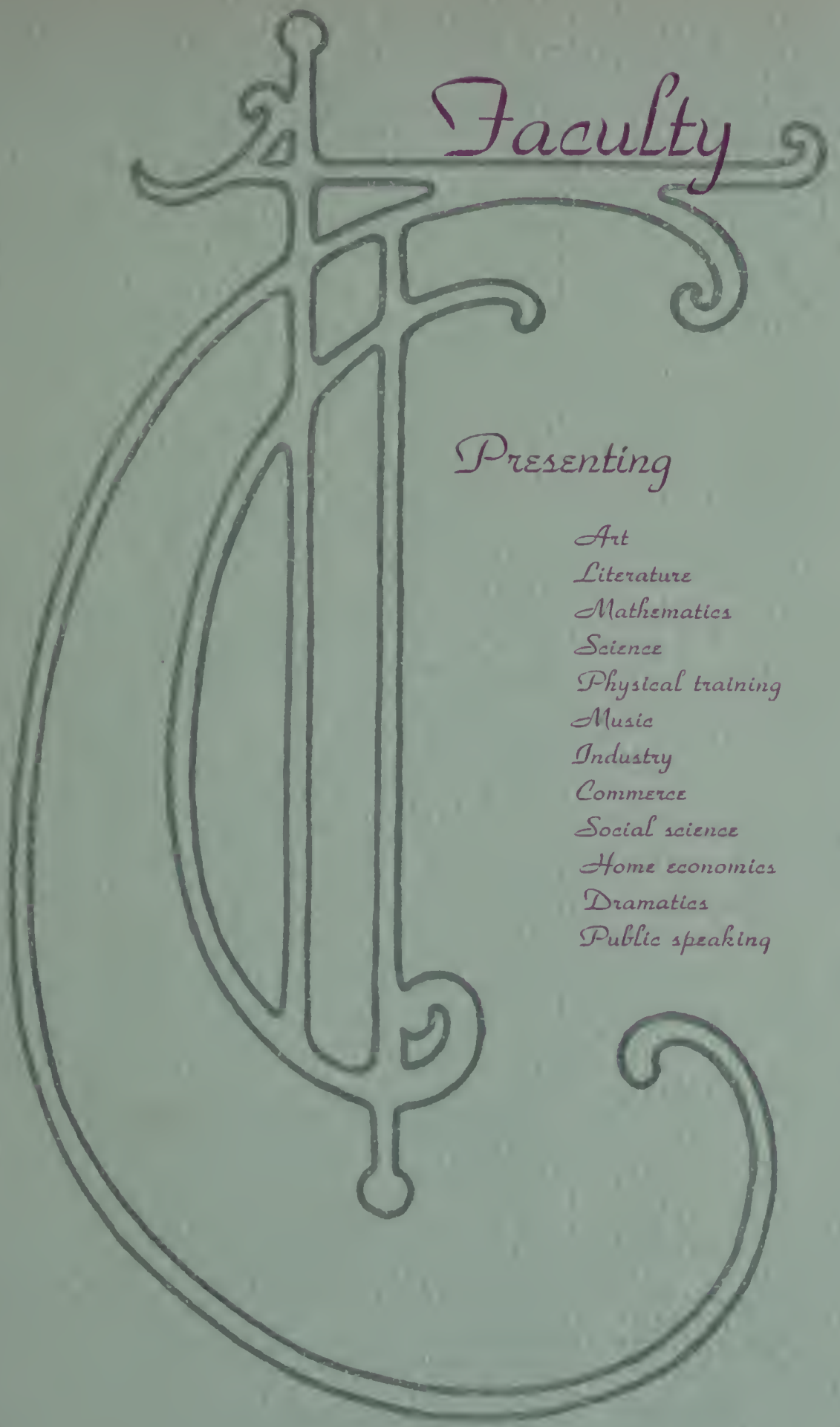
Burdella Felts Some day that gal be somebody. She is in the Honor Society now.

Ralph Shull He goes out for cheer leading in a big way, even though he has to wear the Tiger Suit now.

Eugene Troxel He can play the harmonica and guitar at the same time! Harmonica band for that guy.

*Mary F. Lauer*





# *Faculty*

## *Presenting*

*Art*  
*Literature*  
*Mathematics*  
*Science*  
*Physical training*  
*Music*  
*Industry*  
*Commerce*  
*Social science*  
*Home economics*  
*Dramatics*  
*Public speaking*









M. Aldred



A. Barnes



M. Byers



H. Conley



I. Arnold



G. Beierlein



M. Christman



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## Central



L. Austin



M. Brown



A. Cleaver



R. Dornte



G. Bailhe



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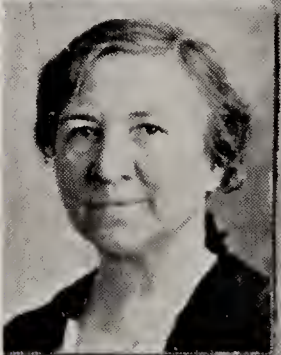
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VERA C. LANE (MRS. C.T.)

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Cen - tral dear Cen - tral your sons and daughters wear the white and blue  
white for your hon - or pure blue making hearts en - dure  
Cen - tral we will cher-ish thee down thru the years  
we will love thee thru smiles and tears, dear Cen - tral — our own



# SPORTS



## Boys

Football  
Basketball  
Track  
Volleyball  
Tennis  
Golf

## Girls

Basketball  
Volleyball  
Soccer  
Swimming  
Tumbling  
Baseball

W. H. M. H. C. H.







## Our Coaches



Murray Mendenhall

Head Coach Murray Mendenhall, popularly known as "Mendy" has been turning out strong athletic teams at Central for twelve years. "Mendy" adopted the basketball and track reins in 1924, immediately proving his fine coaching ability. Football and baseball soon fell to his lot, when Mark Bills departed for North Side.

Impressive records and powerful teams have materialized during "Mendy's" reign. Two Tiger teams have contended in the final play-off tilt for football supremacy in Indiana- in 1928 and again this season. This latest edition of footballers chalked up nine wins, one scoreless tie, and one defeat - Fort Wayne's most commendable high school football record.

Central's basketball teams have also played high in Indiana scholastic competition. Five Mendy-coached basketball players have competed in the Indiana State High School basketball tournament at Butler Field House. However, this year's aggregation advanced nearer the coveted title, playing in the final contest of the tourney. "Mendy's" feat, producing a state finalist in both basketball and football the same year, has never been equaled by any other Indiana coach.

Assistant coach "Bob" Dornte, former Central High School and Purdue athlete concluded his second season as assistant coach with the conclusion of track. "Bob" secured his present position in 1934, immediately after graduating from Purdue.

Like "Mendy", "Bob" not only has proven his worth as an athlete, but also as an excellent coach. During the football season, he teaches fundamentals on all phases of the sport, while "Mendy" supervises the first team, "Bob" drills the second stringers.

Central's reserve basketball teams are under Dornte's watchful eye and the future varsity depends directly on his ability to impart his unlimited athletic knowledge.

During his first year, Central's reserve squad dropped only one game, that later having been avenged. This year six of his charges were promoted to varsity positions, and Central now possesses a seasonal record heretofore unequalled by a Summit City five. Well, when "Mendy" and "Bob" get together Central builds an enviable reputation.



Robert Dornte



## Intramural Sports



Central High School's 1935-1936 Intramural sports program consisted of the four following activities: Fall track, basketball, a free throw tourney, and a basketball elimination tournament.

Intramural athletes were organized for the benefit of all the "athletically minded" boys of Central who were not engaged in any major varsity sport. Points were awarded to the participants for both attendance and performance. At the end of the spring semester, the ten boys who have amassed the highest number of points will be awarded an Intramural "C". The three highest thus far this season (May 1) are Carl Kizer with 26.5 points! Norwood Goldsby, 24, and Richard Kite, 24.5. Last year's high point honors went to Dick Blosser who accumulated 38 markers.

Mr. Hemphill, auto shop instructor, was placed in charge of the fall track aspirants by "Bob" Dornte, who has full control over the entire intramural program.

The tracksters met three times a week and were awarded one-half point for every attendance. The squad was divided into junior and senior groups, the former for all boys under 120 lbs. and the latter for those over that weight. Carl Kizer and Dick Kite were the most outstanding entries in this activity, although 60 students were accredited with intramural points.

A total of 208 youthful basketball enthusiasts answered the call of Assistant Coach Bob Dornte for Intramural net practice. The boys were divided into three groups: The All-Stars, Senior League, and Midget League.

The All-Star group was composed of eight teams, totaling 56 players. At the end of the season, the Panthers, comprised of Jornod, Troxel, Marsh, Marquette, and Shultz, captured initial honors the Crescents and Blue Birds holding second and third, respectively. W. Shepherd was high point man of this league with 54 tallies.

The Senior League featured 73 players who combined into nine teams. The Goons, with such players as Roesener, Beers, Tucker, Bash and Boerger, held first place at the conclusion of the season. In second place were the Red Devils, the Rangers capturing third. Jack Tucker led his league-mate for individual scoring honors with 76 points.

All boys under the 120 pound mark were classed in the Midget League. The 79 players who entered this group were divided into nine teams. First place was captured by the Five Aces; Appleknockers, second; Dogpatch third; Robert Haller topped the league "point getters" with an even 100 markers.

The free-throw tournament consisted of 65 participants and was divided into four divisions: Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, and Senior.

E. Simpcoe tossed in eleven of the twenty allotted charity tosses to win Freshman division honors from a field of fifteen. Twenty-five entered the Sophomore group. Don Huth scoring 14-20 to win. In the Junior class, H. Burton won by a similar score. R. Kissinger triumphed in the Senior division and also the inter-class tourney to win the school free three championship.

Twenty-four teams, 150 players in all, entered the intramural basketball elimination tournament. In the final game the Peerless five downed the Ali Babas for the title. The championship squad was Maurice Owens, Jesse Givens, John Garvin, H. Sheperd, and Robert Carr.



## Track

With the coming of spring, remembrances of the previous fall's football season linger faintly in the minds of the sport conscious student body and already the intense Hoosierite passion for basketball is beginning to ebb from the dim, dark recesses of their cerebral chambers to lie inert until the resumption of play late next fall. So, another major sport presents itself, clamoring for the attention of the athletically minded, demanding, insistent, that it shall be noticed, and that sport is track and field activities.

Although track is undeniably the foremost subject on the spring athletic program, there are others in which the students of Central High School take interest, namely, spring football and tennis.

In the Tiger trackmen's initial meet of the season, a dual affair with Marion, they were nosed 61-56 by virtue of their inability to place other than first, strange as that may sound.

Central's "B" team received a stinging setback at the hands of the North Side reserve track squad the score being 83 2 3 to 33 1 3.

Then came the Kokomo Relays, a track and field carnival in which the best teams throughout the northern half of the state were invited to compete. Three hundred athletes, seventeen of these wearing the Blue and White of Fort Wayne Central representing eighteen schools were on hand the day of the meet. Tall and lanky Jim Schroff tied for first in the high jump; Bobby Brown won a second in the high hurdles and fourth in the low; John Garvin captured a number three position in the high timber topping event; the Tiger 1 500 yard relay squad took a third and Maurice Owens captured fourth in the weight event—all these scored to give Central a fourth place tie with North Side in the final tabulation of the meet, each Summit City squad scoring 18 tallies.

The following Saturday, April 25, Central displayed real power when her cinder trotters amassed a total of 36½ points to win the Muncie Relays. Bobby Brown was easily the star performer of the meet, capturing the high and low hurdles events in the record breaking time of 15.8 and 23.8, respectively. He also ran in anchor position on the half mile relay team which captured that event in another record mark of 1:36.9. Other point getters of this meet were Charlton, Russell, Braden, Garvin, Owens, Schroff, Givens, and Bourne.

On May 9, the Blue thinly clad entered the Sectional Track meet to endeavor to qualify for the State Track carnival on May 16. The result of their determination to equal the grid and net squad's feat of state recognition was unable to be published in this narration.

The results of Central's tennis teams was also unavailable for publication. The "racqueteers" are under the supervision of Mr. Charles Turpin, Mathematics instructor, and in past years have had remarkable success.

The 1936 Central tennis season opened on May 5 against Bluffton at the Parlor City courts with a return match scheduled for May 15. On May 8 the Central netters traveled to Decatur to meet the Yellow Jackets and to Huntington on May 12 to do battle with the Vikings. The Northeastern Indiana Tennis Tournament was played on May 16, Central being the defending champ. On May 18, Decatur met the Tigers on the home court and Huntington did likewise on the twenty-ninth.

This year's squad is composed of Don Trexel, Howard Jornod, James Koegel, Fred Gemmer, and Bill Weaver. Trexel and Koegel being the only veterans from last year.

Seventy-five boys responded to the call of Bob Dornte for spring football. On the opening day of practice, the squad was put through lengthy calisthenic drills, serving to round the recruits into shape. After the indoor work was completed, the boys were given suits and drilled on the gridiron.



Brook  
Herman



BOTTOM ROW - Hess, R.- Dennie, M.- Lempke, M.- Weintritt, M.- Hartman, D.- Winkle r., L. Rohrbaugh, N.-Meyer, L.-Kiger, H.-Derloshen, O.- Tescula, R.

SECOND ROW - Rathert, M.- Russell, M.- Brower, L.- Junk, D. Hein, B.- Seabold, B.- Sutton, B.- New, D Armstong, M.- Freigy, J.

THIRD ROW - Davis, B.- Lord, J.- Mellinger, V.- Plaster, D.- Kies, L. Hartman, L.- Vonderau, H. Walda, H.- Marbaugh, I.

FOURTH ROW - Johnson, E.- Prather, F.- Baumgartner, L.- Watterson, J.- Fox, J.- Graft, E.- Junk, J. Bratt, B.- Tucker, A.

NEXT ROW - Teagarden, J.- Isaacs, L.- Uhl, G.- Kigar, H.- Crapser, E. Farrell, M.- Hermon, R. Hatteresly, M.- Sandkuhler, R.- Heck, N.

TOP ROW - Bogan, G. -Hinton, L. -Zeigler, D. -Miller, I. -Conley, B. -Rhodes, C. -Young, V. Martindale, J.- Lipp, G.- Roop, M.- Heck, E.- Meribah Ingham - (dog) "Judy."

## C. G. A. A.



The Central Girls' Athletic Association is one of the largest and oldest clubs in Central. It was founded in 1922, and now has a membership of 110. The purpose of the club is to promote a sprit of loyalty, good sportsmanship, and fair play among the girls in Central. Any girl who has earned 100 points in sports is eligible for membership.

The C. G. A. A. activities usually begin with picnic which is given in the



fall. At the last picnic games, and a short business meeting and then refreshments were enjoyed. This year the club gave a Christmas dance and also a Christmas party. At the party a gift exchange, with Santa Claus passing out the gifts, was held.

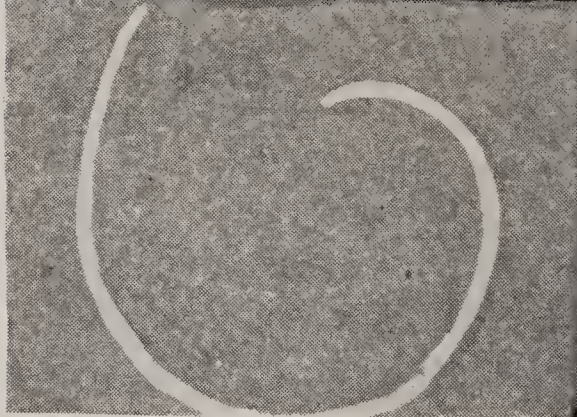
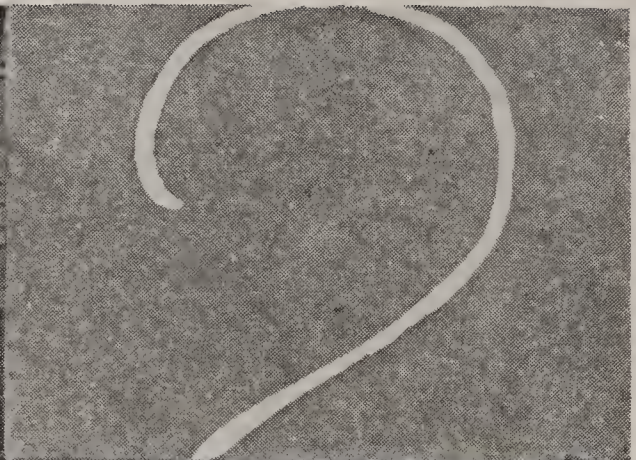
During the first week of May the girls gym classes sponsor their annual exhibition in which all girls taking gym participate. The program consists of sports, dancing, tumbling.

The last meeting of the year is the annual C. G. A. A. Banquet and with this the girls bring to a close their season and at this time the officers for the coming year are announced. The officers for this year are Betty Bratt, Pres. Hilda Kifer, Vice Pres.; Elda Hoster, Treas.; Ella Hardick, Sec; Betty Motter, Recorder of points. The girls gym teachers, Miss Meribah Ingham and Miss Emma Adams, are the advisors.



And these rule the roost





Sophomore Volleyball  
Sophomore Basketball

Senior Basketball  
Junior Soccer





Freshman Soccer  
Junior Volleyball

Freshman Basketball  
Senior Volleyball





Sophomore Soccer  
Junior Basketball

Freshman Volleyball  
Senior Soccer



## *Girl's Gym Demonstration*

"All American" was the title of the annual girl's gymnasium exhibition, held in the boys' gym at 8 o'clock Friday, May 1. This demonstration, put on by all girls in gym classes, was directed by the two girls' gym teachers, Miss Meribah Ingham and Miss Emma Adams. A large crowd reviewed the activities of many girls, even though the rain threatened to hold down the number of spectators.

To open the program, the Central Orchestra under Mr. Baihle's direction, played a few numbers. This music received a great ovation from the crowd.

The first demonstration put on by the girls was a series of Folk Dances. Half of the girls, who came on the floor were dressed as boys in suits, while the other half were dressed as young ladies. To keep with the title and theme of the exhibition, "All American", a large number of girls with red and white crepe paper stripes over their blue gym suits, marched in varied formations to the martial tune, "When Johnny Comes Marching Home."

Next on the program was a group of games and relays, as played in the gym classes, to show the girls' agility and fleetness, as well as their skill in games of sport. The White basketball team defeated the Blue team, both of these groups being composed of selected girls. The girls played for two short periods, Hardy and Arnold being the staresses of their respective teams.

Soccer was the next sport. Here again two selected groups played. The playing of the girls in this sport caused much laughter in the audience, which was amused by the spills and slides of the players. Two races were next, an obstacle relay and a motorless relay. Team One won the former race, and group Two the latter race. In the first race, the girls carried paper sacks in their mouths, first running forward to a hoop, passing the hoop up or down with their bodies within, then running to an end wall, touching it, and as returning, blowing up the sack, which must be burst on the next girl's head, so the relay can go on. was the course of the relay race. The second race was faster because a girl on roller skates was pushed to the end wall and back by the girls in turn until completed. The second group won because of Betty Derickson's great ability on skates. Baseball, with Hardy and Winkler, the opposing pitchers, was the next game. Hardy's team won by a shut out in only one inning.

The next series of demonstrations was the tap dances. The dances in order were called: "With All My Heart", "Rhythm in My Nursery Rhymes", "Moon Over Miami", and "It's Been So Long". Each dance had different costumes.

The grand finale on the program was tumbling. Many rolls were performed and a few pyramids were formed by quite a large number of agile girls. Before the final pyramids, hoop jumping by Geraldine Uhl, Bonnie Sutton, and Jean Teagarden, and long leaps over a number of girls in a row by the latter two, took place. The amazing number of ten girls was cleared by Jean, just before the grand finale pyramid, which closed the annual exhibition.



## Football



Under the capable tutelage of Murray Mendenhall and Robert Dornte, Central's Tigers compiled an impressive football record for the 1935 gridiron. The Tigers registered nine victories, one tie, and one loss on the gridiron ledger.

Although opening the season with mediocre prospects, the Blue and White soon molded a strong football machine, driving through all opposition, excepting the scoreless North Side game, and the loss to Rietz memorial of Evansville. The Mendymen chalked victories over Bluffton, South Bend Riley, Columbia City, Elkhart, Central Catholic, Decatur, Wabash, Lima Central, and South Side.

In the opener, Central traveled to Bluffton to engage the Parlor City grid-ders. The local Tigers displayed a powerful brand of ball to annex the inaugural tilt. The Blue-White utilized their speedy backfield, fast charging line, and stubborn defense to the best advantage, chalking up a 36 to 0 triumph.

In the second game, the Mendymen combated Riley of South Bend at the illuminated, converted League Park gridiron. The visitors outweighed the Bengals from 10 to 15 pounds per player, but the scrappy Tigers punched over a score in the second period, and fore fended the goal from every offensive scoring thrust the Benders could muster. When the gun cracked, the Blue possessed the ball, and a 6 to 0 victory.

The local gridders journeyed to Columbia City on the following day to encounter the Eagles of that city. With a hard game under their belts from the preceding day, Murray employed a second and third string lineup. However the Tigers shoved aside the little resistance offered, and registered their third, consecutive shutout victory by a score of 18 to 0.

On the following week, the local footballers clashed forces with one of the strongest foes on their schedule. The Wabash team presented a heavy, scrappy team that exhibited a near machine-like offense. The Apaches proceeded to make a first down on the first two plays, and for the entire first half compelled the Tigers to play with the shadow of the goal posts on their backs. However, after the termination of the half, the Blue-jerseyed gridders came back to wrest the offensive from the Wabashians. The Bengals pushed over a touchdown in the third period, and another in the final frame to mark up a 13 to 0 victory on the ledger.

The Tigers chalked up their eighth victory by downing Lima Central at the North Side stadium. The Bengals flashed too much power for the Ohioans, and scored touchdowns in all but the last two periods. When the final gun cracked, Central had added another shut-out triumph to their total, 28 to 0.



The following week, the Centralites were confronted by an ancient rival, Elkhart, and a torrid battle was anticipated. However, the battle failed to materialize, as the Tigers started fast, pushing over two touchdowns in the initial set-to. Again in the third canto, the local gridders drove their way to a score via the spinner and line-buck route. Then, not satisfied with their comfortable advantage, the Mendymen crossed the pay-off line once more to send the Blue Blazers home on the short end of a 26-0 count.

Gaining momentum with every clash, the Mendy-coached eleven ran rough shod over the local Catholic Gridders. The Blue counted 14 points in the first frame, a touchdown in both the second and third periods, and two more in the final stanza, while holding the Purple and Gold scoreless. The 40 to 0 victory enabled the Blue and White to grab the lead in the city series race.

On the fifth of October, the localities chalked up their sixth consecutive shut-out victory, by downing Hugh Andrew's Decatur Yellow Jackets. The Jackets had a large veteran team, but they could not match the offensive power flashed by the Central gridders. The Tigers counted in every period, the final score standing at 29 to 0. This tilt did not count on the N.E.I.C. standing, in as much as North Side tied Central, while Decatur won every conference game, the Andrewmen captured the N.E.I.C. championship.

During the week of the seventh tilt, Central's team received two stiff jolts. In practice, a few days before the game, Dan Bourne, varsity halfback, suffered a broken arm. Then, misfortune again took its toll, when an inspired tribe of North Side Redskins battled the Blue on even terms throughout the game to hold the Tigers to a scoreless tie. Because of this tie, North Side and Central tied for city series championship, as they both defeated South Side and Central Catholic.

With the last game on the regularly scheduled season in the offing, the goal still uncrossed, the Tigers began preparing for the clash with the ancient arch-rival, South Side. For the past three years the pre-game favorite had been upset; and Central was installed as the pre-game winner.

Central scored in the initial inning, but the Southerners retaliated in the second set-to, passing into an end zone corner. With the score tied at seven all, the Tigers took a new lease on life in the third canto, scoring two touchdowns, and tallied once more in the final frame to turn the game into all-Central, 27 to 7.

After seasonal records were checked, Central's proved to be the most commendable in the state. However, Rietz Memorial of Evansville held a similar record, and the two teams clashed at Rosse Field in Evansville. The Catholic gridders kept Central on the defensive for three consecutive quarters, but only by dint of smart offense did the downstaters push across two touchdowns. The Tigers' most definite offensive threat came in the final stanza, when they advanced the pigskin to the 2 yard line. A minute later the Tigers came close once more, but their efforts availed them nothing, and the Tigers were forced to bow by a 13 to 0 score.

Although not winning the state crown, the team was consoled somewhat when Steve Sitko, quarterback, was placed on the mythical All-State and All City team. Other footballers honored on the All City aggregation were Jaehn Charlton, halfback; Jim McDonald, tackle; Ben Mourning, guard; and Louis Sitko, end.





Mourning  
Altekruze  
L. Sitko

S. Sitko

Krejewski  
McDonald  
Garvin





Milleff  
Grimm  
Owens

Brown

Weisenberg  
Paul  
Dixie



## *The Fighting Tigers of 1935*

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Yarman

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## Basketball

Central High School's 1935-36 litter of net snipers brought such fame and honor to their alma mater as has never before been experienced in basketball by the downtown school.

In the 1935-36 season, the Blue quintet captured the Northeastern Indiana Conference title, never meeting defeat in conference competition; they ran off with the City Series crown, a South Side upset being the only stain; and concluded the regular season with 18 of 23 games on the right side of the ledger. Then came the annual Indiana State High School Basketball Elimination Tournaments. During the period of March 5-6-7, the Bengal netters easily downed all sectional competition, maintaining an average score of 46-26. In the regional tournament, held on March 14 at the North Side hardwood, the Blue and White again came through triumphantly with overwhelming victories. The Muncie super-regionals depicted an alternately cool, calculating and blistering Feline squad which ran riot against tough opposition to advance to the state finals. Here it was that the Tiger band made basketball history for Central High School; the Blue garbed aggregation marching to the state championship play-off, and though they were defeated, the Central squad has the distinction of being the only Fort Wayne five to advance to the final game.

November 22, 1935 marked the opening of Central's basketball season. On that night New Castle sent her mighty Trojans, rated as the team to watch in state championship competition, to do battle with Central's Tigers, who were yet a bit unpolished due to late football competition. The Green downstate netters trimmed the Tiger's whiskers after a hard fought battle, 35-31.

Anderson, 1935 Indiana State High School Basketball Champion and again a highly vaunted contender, was the next foe. After holding a comfortable lead throughout the game the Tigers were nosed by virtue of an Indian 12 point final quarter rally, 29-27.

North Sides Redskins were the Tiger's first victims when the two Summit City squads met in their initial encounter of the season. Coach Nulf sent a fast, shifty, well sized band out upon the floor but Central proved superior, 33-25.

Laporte, weighty contender in the western division of the Northern Indiana Conference was the next to feel the Tiger's claws, 29-21.

Central opened her N. E. I. C. engagements by easily downing Columbia City and Kendallville on successive evenings by scores of 40-16 and 39-13 respectively.

The Bengals made it two wins against no losses in the City Series standing by easily defeating the Fighting Irish from Central Catholic, 40-23.

As a Christmas holiday feature, South Side invited Central, North Side, and Berne to engage in an invitational tournament on December 28 at the southern gym. An hour before the initial game, drawing were made to pair the contestants; Central pulling the Archers to open the meet. The Mendymen downed their rivals, 27-18, to allow them to meet Berne, who had throttled North Side in the second game for the championship. Central's scintillating brand of basketball which they displayed that night gave the Bears little chance, the Blue winning, 39-29.



Central then won four more conference tilts and in addition extended her win streak to eleven straight victories, when her court representatives struck down Auburn in a high-scoring affair, 51-37, Hartford City, 49-26, Decatur's Yellowjackets, 34-25, and Bluffton, 39-22.

Then came a week of gloom for Central fans. South Side, still stinging from her defeat at the hands of the Tigers in the invitational tournament, staged a fourth quarter spurt to win 29-25, thus sending the city series in a three way deadlock between the three public schools. On the following evening, the Bengals traveled to Huntington to succumb to the Vikings in a heated battle, 33-31.

A much improved North Side squad with a highly touted zone defense was to be next on the program. The Tigers went into the game resolved to begin another win streak and the Redskins were equally determined to avenge their previous setback at the hands of Central. The Redskins' zone defense proved to be no barrier to the Mendenhallmen, and with the final outcome being never in doubt, the Tigers walked away with another city series win and their seventh straight N.E.I.C. victory, the final score being; Central 31, North Side 14.

Washington of East Chicago, another powerful upstate team in the N. I. C., was the next to fall by the wayside, the final count being, 28-23. On the following evening, a Central "B" team downed the Huntertown varsity, 29-24.

Coach Murray Mendenhall sent a B team and a few first five men to Bedford to meet the powerful stonecutters, holding the most powerful portion of the team at home in reserve for the Archer clash the following day. The downstate quintet gave the Blue her worst whipping of the regular season, the score being 34-19.

South Side's previous upset of the Tigers was avenged the subsequent evening when the Blue unleashed a power attack to win decisively, 32-21, thus winning the city series crown and the N.E.I.C. title.

Elkhart, big gun of the eastern division of the N.I.C., put up a struggle but was finally overcome by the Tiger's superior power, 20-17.

Last year's state finalist, Morton of Richmond, fell very decisively, 51-19, and in the final game of the regularly scheduled season, the Felines thoroughly trounced the Central of South Bend five, 49-27.

From the opening of tournament competition, Central's galaxy of net stars were favored to pull through. The Tigers' first game in the sectional with Leo was a thriller—in the first few minutes—but the Blue was too impressive for the powerful county team, the final score being 45-24. In the next step towards capturing the sectional crown, the Bengal's played a poor defensive game but their suburb offence gave them a 45-30 victory over the Monroeville Cubs. Steve Sitko, Central's own sensational athlete, paced his teammates with 19 points to down the North Side Redskins in the semi-finals of the tourney. The first half of that game was a true thriller but again the Tigers came through in the last half to finally down the Nulmen, 42-26. The final game with South Side was another first half nerve-racking tilt, the Mendymen holding a nice lead of 19-16 at the intermission. The final half proved to be a runaway, the Tigers scoring 21 points to the Archer's 7 for a final score of 50-23.





*Curly  
Armstrong*

Steve Sitko  
Paul Armstrong

Virgil Ribble  
Bob Brown

Lloyd Altekruze  
Dan Bourne





Fred Kabisch  
Jack Paul

Tom Motter  
Tony Staniszewski

Herman Schaefer  
Red Braden



The regional tournament, comprised of Central, Ridgeville, Roanoke, and Union Center, proved to be a pushover for the Tigers. Ridgeville's Cassocks, with a bad case of "jitters", were woefully trounced by the Central aggregation, 41-21. The score stood at 19-1 at one time before the Ridgevillers "snapped out of it" and began to function in a more impressive manner. Union Center put up a gallant fight in the first few minutes but the Felines turned the game into a complete massacre, defeating the Badgers 51-13, and thus the Blue and White won her fifth regional title in the history of the school.

According to the new plan for holding the state elimination tournaments, Central was placed in a semi-final tourney at Muncie along with Newcastle, Kokomo, and Warsaw. In the Blue's initial tilt with Kokomo, they matched their speedy offence with that of the Wildcats and for three quarters of play neither team was separated by more than four points. In the final quarter, the Tigers employed their habitual last quarter energy and blasted away a 36-26 victory. In the tourney playoff with Newcastle winners over Warsaw in the other first round tilt, the Bengals were forced to play an entirely different type of ball, namely matching their defence with the Trojans. The Central squad showed their superiority by downing their opponents 24-18. Thus the Tigers were admitted to the state finals along with Central of Evansville, Frankfort, and Anderson. In the initial game with Central of Evansville, the Blue was threatened in the first quarter but gradually amassed a lead which was never overtaken, the final score standing at 36-31. The final game for the Indiana State High School Basketball Championship matched Central against a considerably taller and heavier squad, Frankfort's Hot Dogs—a team which is rated as one of the best to ever set foot on the Butler Field House hardwood. The Summit City representatives fought hard in the first half but were outplayed for the remainder of the game, not even their die-in-the-last-ditch, dogged attitude aiding their cause. The Hot Dogs won the tilt and the championship by a score of 50-24. And thus ended the best record ever hung up by any Fort Wayne five.





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*Home Ec.*

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*Etc.*









FIRST ROW- E. Timmis, R. Kaag, B. Leath, O. Mertz, W. Beers, B. Smith, A. Falk, J. Beirsdorfer, R. Peek.  
SECOND ROW- H. Long, C. Bente, M. Rabus, E. Lanier, C. McKay, M. Cabler, C. Bolson, Miss Brigham (sponsor), V. Heller, M. McAnlis, M. Hawkins, D. Masursky.  
THIRD ROW- I. Raymond, I. M. Dager, B. Call, J. Bash, V. Rider, R. Spackman, J. Michell, M. Farrell, L. Hartman, D. Prange, M. Springer, B. Bratt, M. Hattersley, C. Simon.  
FOURTH ROW- H. Cantwell, J. Collias, B. Hunt, J. Davies, P. Schwehn, F. Garard, M. Meier, J. Crance, E. Hemrick.  
FIFTH ROW- C. Rothschild, V. Boerger, I. Latz, J. Koegel, R. Nathan, H. Battenberg, W. Spackman, L. Lauer, H. O'Shaughnessey, W. Kernan, F. Hibbins, E. Stumpf.

## Boosters



Sectionals and Regionals provided much work as well as enjoyment for the Booster Club this year. The club which is under the direction of Miss Brigham was host for both tournaments.

Having a membership total of 59 the club has followed through the year in great style.

Both the annual Tiger Mixer and Tiger Hop were held, having as their themes "A Football Game" and "Goodby Winter", respectively.

The Valentine Pep session given by the Boosters proved a large success this year. Girls dressed in red and white and on roller skates, gave boxes of candy to the team without a single mishap.

Being very generous the Booster Club donated money to the band for their trip to Huntington and also for the sweaters of the debaters.

This year the Club had as its officers: chairman, Ed Stumpf and secretary, Mildred Hawkins.



- Bob Melser



FIRST ROW Miss Christman, Anne Tucker, Jane Meyer, Marian Cabler, Luella Hohnhaus, Lillian Jones, Mary McAnlis, Mildred Hawkins, Miss Gardner.

SECOND ROW Eugene Roesener, James Koegel, George Reed, Marie Franke, Victoria Hartman, Mary Farrell, Marjorie Burns, Betty Hillman, Lillian Hartman, Orel Sprunger.

TOP ROW Alfred Falk, Edwin Stumpf, Robert Nathan, George Gunter, Irving Latz, Orville Mertz, Wayne Winters, Roy Weaver, Bob Melser, Morton Meier, Robert Goodman, Max Buckmaster.

## Math Club



Included in the extra curriculum of Central High is a club of long standing, the Math Club. This seemingly ancient club was founded December 4, 1913 by D.W. Werremeyer, and has acquired the title of the city's oldest high school organization.

This club holds monthly meetings where problems, which are unable to be touched in class work, are discussed. At these meetings they also plan the social activities for the year. Among these was the Washington Day Program which was given in the auditorium for the school. The participants of the program were Lillian Hartman, Victor Eckerger, Marie Rittenhouse, Orville Mertz and Eugene Roesener.

To wind up the activities for the year they gave a successful picnic at Foster Park which was attended by the entire fifty members of the club.

The club is under the capable supervision of Mary E. Gardner, Marie Christman, and Charles Turpin.

Officers for the first semester were president, Eugene Roesener; vice-president, Mildred Hawkins; treasurer, Alfred Falk; secretary, Lillian Jones.

For the second semester officers were president, Orel Sprunger; vice-president Mary Mc Anlis; treasurer, Wayne Winters; and secretary, Lillian Hartman.



*John Doswell*



FIRST ROW-Wanda Jones, Bob Kaag, Ed O'Rourke, Marion Cabler, Leona Zweig, Jean Bergquist, Betty Bitner, Marvel Maxwell, Armella Nix.

SECOND ROW-Jim Bond, Catherine Nichols, Jane Meyer, Mary Hattersley, Catherine McKay, Miss Mary Harrah, Jane Pollak, Mary McAnlis, Rosalie O'Connor, Virginia Cowan

THIRD ROW-Bob Tomlinson, Loretta Wallace, Ruth Rasp, Jeanne Patrick, Jane Abbott, Victoria Hartman, Mabel Springer, Vivian Martin, Millie Hawkins, Mary Farrell, Marie Franke, Annette Nix, Geraldine Bacon, Melva O'Shaughnessy.

BACK ROW-Morton Meier, Kenneth Rice, Charles Rothschild, Elton Wilson, Burdella Felts, Agnes Yarnelle, Mary Lauer, Mary Bennett, Marjorie Burns, John Doswell, Fred Wolf.

## *Latin Club*



In order to promote interest in Latin and Latin history, the Latin teachers of Central High School have formed a club of this nature.

The advisors who are Miss Harrah, Miss McKinney and Miss Lucasse, supervise the meetings held every fourth Wednesday of the month.

Horace, a Latin poet, was the topic of one of these meetings. A play and speeches were given by the members about him. His 2000th birthday was celebrated last year.

For entertainment and acquaintance, a membership party was given the first semester. Latin games, talks, and refreshments were had.

Officers for first semester were: president, Mildred Hawkins; vice - president, Robert Nathan; secretary - treasurer, Charles Rothchild. For second semester: president, Mary McAnlis; vice - president, James Bond, and secretary - treasurer, Mary Hattersley.





FIRST ROW-Norman Schroeder, Louis Oetting, Robert Melser, Morton Meier, Edwin Stumpf, Orville Mertz, Henry Lantz.

SECOND ROW - Mr. Butler, Kathleen McKay, Leona Zweig, Rose Masursky, Victoria Hartman, Jane Bash, Mary McAnlis, Jeanne Patrick, Jean Berquist, Mary Bennett.

THIRD ROW-Betty Kaufman, Helen Mertz, Anne Boehme, Ethel Bebout, Margaret Ellen Colley, Mary Frances Lauer, Burdella Felts, Jean Lorenz, Margaret Walker, Mae Rose Slagel, Mable Springer.

FOURTH ROW-Paul Schwehn, Eugene Roesener, Herschel O'Schaughnessey, Anita Leonard Elda Mertz, Annette Nix, Marie Franke, Mary Farrell, Geraldine Bacon, Emily Jagow.

## *Honor Society*



One of the few clubs of Central High School which has no dues is the Honor Society, under the advisory of Miss Harrah and Mr. Bulter.

Requirements of the club for any student are at least three A's and one B. If the pupil has th s, but also has an F or a C he is disqualified for membership.

Meetings are conducted on the first Wednesday of each month after which refreshments are served. At one of the meetings a talk was given by an agent of the police department. His speech was upon finger printing and proved to be very interesting. At another meeting Miss Harrah, the advisor, spoke on her younger teaching days, which were very amusing.

The Club was founded in 1928 and had as its first President, Helen Davis

Officers for first semester were: president, Oville Mertz; vice president, Geraldine Bacon; secretary-treasurer, Jean Berquist. For the second semester president, Victoria Hartman; vice-president Jean Collins; and secretary-treasurer, Marie Franke.





FIRST ROW- Mary Lou Cory, Clara Bente, Lillian Hartman, Dorothy Masursky, Ruth Peek, Betty Lyons, Annette Nix, Velma Torbeck.

SECOND ROW- Verna Happner, Dorothy Prange, Mabel Sprsnger, Victoria Hartman, Jean Lorenz, Helen Mertz, Miss Welch (advisor).

THIRD ROW- Marie Franke, Ruth Kissinger.

## Sorosis



Of Centrals' many clubs and societies Sorosis is one pertaining to a definite subject. Sorosis, a society founded in 1914, is chiefly concerned with English.

The club's outstanding purposes are to broaden culture, to express thoughts in parliamentary form, to contribute to the social life of the school and to aid in spending leisure time in a profitable and interesting way.

This year Sorosis had very notable meetings: Miss Keep and Miss Austin gave talks about their travels; plays and stories were read; and parties were held. The Shamrock Shuffle, a very successful T- dance, was given by Sorosis.

This society is open to all 10 A to 12 A girls making at least B grades in all their subjects.

Officers for the first semester were: president, Clara Bente; vice-president, Mabel Springer; secretary, Victoria Hartman; and treasurer, Dorothy Masursky. For the second semester they were: president, Lillian Hartman; vice-president, Rose Masursky; secretary, Betty Lyons; and treasurer, Clara Bente. Miss Welch is advisor.





FIRST ROW: Jane Bash, Elizabeth Lanier, Mary Martha Rabus, Betty Bitner, Esther Hemrick, Betty Kaufman, Marion Hillyer, Miss Ruth Wilkening, Margaret Shull, Hope Shockey.

SECOND ROW: Miss Mary Zent, John Collias, Vivian Rider, Ida May Dager, Eva Wuckowich, Ruth Zollars, Dorothy Shanneyfelt, Dorothy Korn, Doris Doswell, Betty Hohnhaus, Lester Carey.

THIRD ROW: Jack Crance, Jean Blaising, Russell Ponsot, Jean Larimore, Bob Kutsch, Bob Steele, Herman Smith.

## Art Club



All pupils interested in Art are eligible to the Brush and Pencil or Art Club.

Under the sponsorship of Miss Mary Zent, the club meets on the first Monday of every month in the art room, where the meetings are conducted.

At one of the reunions Miss Anna B. Lewis gave a colorful talk on poems while portraying them like pictures. Some members also provided entertainment for another meeting by discussing pictures. After each meeting has been concluded, refreshments are served.

The annual Valentine Tea Dance was given by the club Feb. 13, 1936. Large paper valentines decorated the girls' gym making the theme more effective. Music was provided by Bob Kay and his orchestra. True to tradition the dance was one of the best of the year.

Members also have their annual picnic which is held at one of the city parks. Hiking, games, and refreshments give much enjoyment at this affair.

Bob Kutsch, who was elected president of the club, was forced to resign his position, due to too many points. Jack Schreck, the vice-president, succeeded Bob in office. The secretary was Vivian Rider, and Jane Bash, the treasurer.



## *Vagabond Club*



Although not organized until 1932, the Central Vagabond Club has proven to be a great success.

The Club which meets every third Wednesday of the month is under the supervision of Miss Mary Catherine Smeltzly and Miss Esther Thomas.

Since travel is the theme of the Club many interesting speeches have been given during the meetings, concerning this topic. Among these speeches was one given by Miss Smeltzly on the Baltic countries and Russia, another by Miss Mary Austin on Alaska, an interesting trip to Venezuela by Jane Pollak and a story of Ireland by Harry Rogan.

Besides the meeting, the Club has held two parties. One at Christmas, when there were games and refreshments and another on January 17, when they had their skating party. The skating party, which was held at Bell's Skating Rink, was a huge success.

Officers for the first semester were: Dorothy Masursky, president; Betty Geary, vice president; Elizabeth Barton, secretary; Eli Resiner, treasurer. Those holding offices the second semester were: Anne Boehm, president; Norman Schroeder, vice president; Dorothy McKee, secretary; and Harry Mee, treasurer.

NOTE- Two or three times the Vagabonds sat for their club picture and each time the picture was a failure. The editors make affidavit that it was the fault of the photographer and no reflection on the Club whatever.



## Torch Club



Composed of freshmen and sophomore boys the Torch Club is a beginning of Hi- Y.

The Club is under the able sponsorship of Mr. Haley.

This year the club has had many outstanding meetings at which speeches were made by city civic leaders and outstanding high school leaders.

Besides meetings, the Club took trips to industrial plants, had hikes, swims, and picnics.

Officers for first semester were; President, Ray Stumpf; Vice- President, Byron Leeth; Treasurer, Richard Van Camp and Secretary, Thomas Bayless.

The second semester officers were, president, Byron Leeth; 1st vice-president, Richard Kite; 2nd vice- president, Richard Van Camp; treasurer, secretary, Fred Wolf.

## Rifle Club

Started in Fort Wayne by Central High School, the Rifle Club began under the direction of Mr. H. L. Veatch.

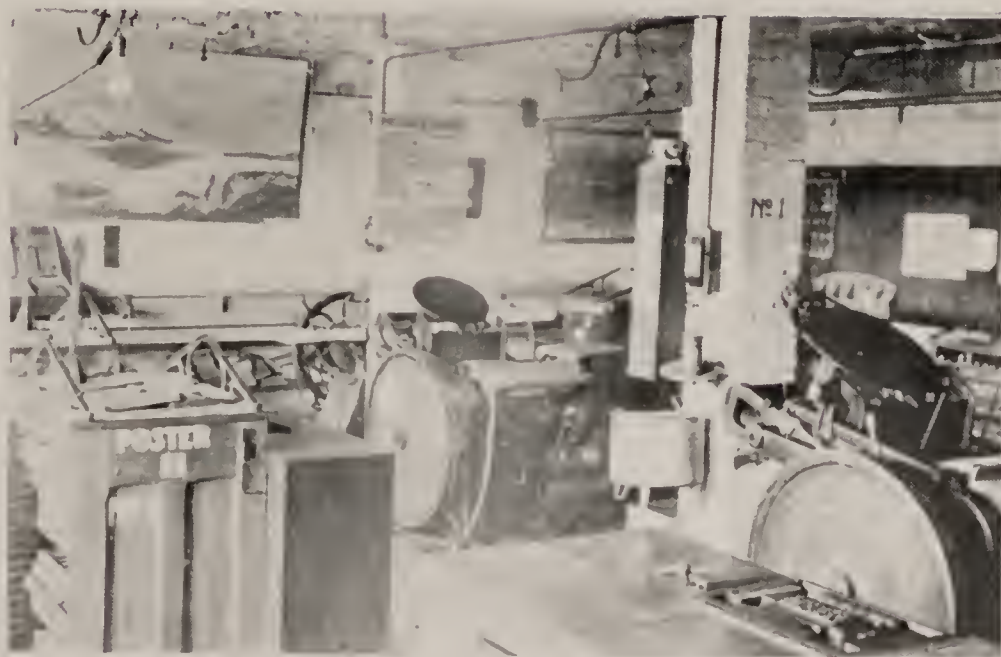
Besides the called meetings held every other Thursday, the club meets three times a week. At these meetings on Monday, Wednesday, Friday, the members practised and perfected their skill.

This year the club met North Side, South Side, and Arcola. Although beaten by North Side, the club won over South Side and Arcola.

Girls as well as boys belong to the club, although there are special classes for both.

Officers for this year were president, John Magnuson; vice-president, Lynn Westerman; secretary, Wayne Brown; executive officer, Jack Crance.





*Where the Caldron Was Printed*

The work was done by the Sophomore and Junior printing classes under the supervision of Mr. White, printing instructor. Jim Schrott, Wallace Hamm and Otto Seitz did extra work during their study periods



*Girls' Sports*

"Practice your serves the rest of the time, girls" commanded Miss Adams, the girls' gym instructor. But this was more than a command, it was the beginning of volleyball practice. Miss Adams and Miss Ingham must have done some pretty good commanding at that, for the girls turned out four excellent teams.

Those who made first team of the freshmen, sophomore, junior, and senior class respectively are as follows: Arnold, Burton, Curningham, Furnace, J. Junk, Neuman, Tate, Walters and Waters; Baumgartner, V. Cowan, Conley, Hartman, Hess, Ward, Roof, Tucker and Watterson; Boedeker, Freck, Hardick, Lipp, Lebrato, Motter and Sandkuler; Bratt, Kies, Kiger, Lipp, Meyer, Marbaugh, Tescula Uhl and Winkler. The juniors displayed their ability by winning first and second places in the class contest.

With their hands bandaged from hitting the ball over the net, the girls began practicing "ole" soccer. One certainly has to take it in this game, for a broken ankle means nothing. One advantage in soccer is that in case you've gone out for volleyball, you needn't worry about your sore hands, because you can not use them.

The seniors won first place in the soccer tournament, and the juniors, who refused to be left out, won second place. Those on the teams are freshmen: Brower, Coleman, Furnace, Junk, Kirchner, Sites, Taylor, and Waters; sophomores: Conley, Cowan, Hess, Lipp, Baumgartner, Johnson, Weintrith and Waters; juniors: Freck, Motter, Sandkuhler, Sutton, Derrickson, Hess, Somers and Vonderau; seniors: Hartman, Hies, Linsky, Uhl, Marbaugh, Tescula and Plaster.

Basketball ranks high with the girls. After practice had gone underway the teams were chosen. The freshmen's first team is: Arnold, Walters, Waters, Latt, Junk, Sites, Derloshen and Walda; sophomores: Bentz, Babcoke, Hartman, Rohrbaugh, Baumgarter, Martindale, Weintritt and Conley; junior: Hardick, Lebrato, Derrickson, Motter, Freck, Isaacs, Sandkules and Sutton; seniors: Kies, Kiger, Heck, Lipp, Bratt, Tescula, Uhl and Moots. The juniors were again victorious! They won both first and second places.

Sometime ago tumbling was started after school. Nearly one hundred girls came out for practice. Some of the most outstanding tumblers are: Larimore, Kelly, Teagarden, Hess, Uhl, Sutton, Junk, Laberato, Isaacs, Lipp and Lord.

Toward the end of the term there will be tap, baseball and the annual C. G. A. A. track meet.





ROW ONE: L. Baker, R. Kaag, B. Leeth, L. Carey, R. Smith, D. Arnold, L. Pontius, W. Spackman,  
ROW TWO: B. Lyons, E. Estes, M. Koons, M. Bakalar, D. Masursky, J. Pollak, R. Masursky,  
M. Miller, E. Benout, K. McKay.,  
ROW THREE: P. Schwehn, M. Farrell, V. Rider, B. Call, W. Hoover, H. Prange, A. Thomas, M.  
McAnlis, M. Hawkins, F. Knipple, J. Beiersdorfer, H. Rumbaugh.  
ROW FOUR: R. Kissinger, M. Franke, R. Kutsch, F. Garard, J. Michell, J. Tucker, D. Staley, K.  
Baker, E. Lanier, M. Brand, I. Marbaugh.

## S. P. C.



The Student Players Club under the advisorship of Miss Marjorie Suter had an unusually successful season. They presented four plays, two one act dramas, the senior play, and the Christmas play, A Christmas Carol. They also assisted in the Community Chest pageant, and the commencement ritual.

The S. P. C. Club of the three high schools had a joint initiation and tea dance held at North Side between semesters. Dorothy Masursky was chairman of Central's initiation committee.

A potluck supper was held in the Central Auditorium for the February meeting. Election of officers was also held.

A second initiation and tea dance is to be given in Franke park after the close of school. Catherine Baker is in charge of this.

To be eligible for membership in the S. P. C. a pupil must have taken dramatics for one semester or earned points in some other way. At the end of each year gold Ds are awarded to the graduating seniors outstanding in dramatic work.

Officers for the first semester were: president, Bruce Hunt; vice president, Catherine Baker; secretary-treasurer, Kathleen McKay. For the second semester: president, Bob Smith; vice president, Vivian Rider; secretary-treasurer, Kathleen McKay.





ROW ONE: Mary Frances Lauer, Kathryn Simon, Virginia Cowan, Miss Brown, advisor, Marjorie Burns, Jeanne Bergquist, Mary Farrell.  
ROW TWO: Elda Mertz, Jeanne Patrick, Jane Abbott, Marjorie Clayton, Betty Hillman, Marie Franke, Jeanne Fox.

## Delver's Club



One of the newest clubs of Central High School is the Delvers' Literature Club under the direction of Miss Ruth Brown.

Although composed of freshmen and 10B girls maintaining B grades in English there are more than fifteen members in the club.

This year the club has as its theme, "Famous Women." At the meetings, which are held every other Tuesday, these women are discussed and portrayed by the members.

Although this topic is generally discussed at these meetings, there was an exception when the club gave a magazine meeting. Popular magazines were acted and guessed by the pupils.

At the end of the first semester, the freshmen gave a farewell party to the 10B girls, soon to graduate from their club. Games were played and refreshments were served at the meeting.

Officers for first semester were president, Jeanne Fox, Marie Franke, vice-president; and Jeanne Bergquist secretary. The second semester officers were: president, Jane Abbott; secretary, Catherine Simon; and treasurer, Jeanne Patrick.



*Springer*



FIRST ROW Lawrence Lauer, Henry Lantz, Frank Garard, Mr. Richardson, advisor, Hillis Gallmeier, (president), Tom Brown, Ida May Dager, Eva Wuckevitch.

SECOND ROW Wayne Brown, Myron Bird, Thelma Springer, (Secretary), I ene Heim, Rosemary Hauser, Florence Horman, (Treasurer) Lu Sherer, Edward Blatkamp.

Members not on the picture:

Jack Crance, Arthur Deuter, (Vice president) Betty Gearey, Carl North, Dich Teeter, Mary Gephard, Corrine Miller, Betty J ne Kauffman, Phyllis Harnichfeger and Virginia Koontz.

## Indiana Club



Although having only two years of back ground, the Indiana Club has acquired the title of one of Central's best clubs.

Programs which are given in honor of Indiana history began with the Mound Builders by Mr. Richardson. Following this there was one concerning the traditions and customs of Indiana, and still another on The Battle of Fallen Timbers.

The club which began with but twelve members the first semester has so increased that there are now thirty paid pupils belonging to the club. Besides giving parties the club has also given a tea dance which was very successful.

This year the club gave the library a set of books consisting of five volumes. The books were "Indiana and Indianas" by J. P. Dunn.

Each year the club also gives the school membership in Indiana Historical Society.

The club is sponsored by Mr. Willis Richardson.

Officers for first semester were president, Ida May Dager; vice-president, Wilber Kernan; treasurer, Eva Wuckevitch, and secretary, Frank Garard. For the second semester, officers were; president, Hillis Gallmeier; vice-president, Arthur Deuter; treasurer, Florence Horman; and secretary, Thelma Springer.





FIRST ROW : Left to Right, Rose Masursky, Ednabelle Estes, Verna Hoepner, Mildred Kolfenstein, Wanda Work, Alice Bowser, Jean Beiersdorfer, Mary Gephart.

SECOND ROW : Left to Right. Helen Mertz, Mary Lou Cory, Lillian Hartman, Clara Bente Dwayne Sherer, Miss Pence, Dorothy Prange, Jane Pollak, Marjorie Miller, Velma Fosbeck Daisy Tannas.

THIRD ROW: Left to Right, Ruth Peek, Dorothy Roach, Jeanette Jones, Esther Hemrick, Eva Wuckovitch, Ida Mae Dager, Juanita Rodebaugh, Anna Boehme, Victoria Hartman, Mable Springer, LaVon Meyer, Dorcas Plaster, Evelyn Summers, Kathleen McKay, Zonetta Winger.

FOURTH ROW: Left to Right, Hildigarde Vonderau, Emily Jagon, Joyce Lord, Estella Graft, Clara Rhodes, Josephine Balsams, Dorathy Sheets, Lois Raber, Bertha McCangue, Marjorie Miller, Dorathy Zigler, Dorathy McKee, Helen Tunpchioff.

## Friendship Club



More than forty pupils comprise the Friendship Club under the able conduction, of Miss Vera E. Pence. Their meetings, which are held twice a month in the clubrooms are interesting as well as educational. Mr. Howard Michaud provided entertainmant at one of these meetings with a moving picture on Indiana.

Besides meetings the club has enjoyed a few parties, among them the Christmas party given Decemder 10, 1935. The Santa Claus played by one of the members, Ida May Dager, caused much merriment. Christmas songs, games and dancing were also on the program. Also a potluck, given in the fall, was among the doings of the club. Held at Memorial park, this potluck was very successful. Around a large bon fire weiners were roasted; and stories were told.

Officers for first semester were; president, Lillian Hartman; vice president, Ida Mae Dager; treasurer, Dorothy Prange; secretary, Jean Bieresdorfer. For the second semester officers were; president, Clara Bente; vice president Vctoria Hartman; treasurer, Kathleen McKay and secretary, Lillian Hartman.





ROW ONE: E. Wilson, Grothaus, D. McAleece, P. Burns, Mr. W. Richardson, F. Garard, J. Crance, C. North, W. Springer.

ROW TWO: R. Immiel, P. Stettler, V. John, R. Spackman, R. Teeter, R. Shull, H. Lantz, R. Stephans, J. Ottenweller, T. Brown, R. Williams, W. C. Winters.

ROW THREE: R. Williams, J. Perriguey, H. Reinking, E. Stumpf, L. Lauer, R. MacNamera, W. L. Winter, N. Crum, J. Tucker, E. Smith.

## Hi-Y



This year the Junior and Senior Hi-Y have joined to form one large club. Although this is the first year this system has been tried, it has been successful.

Under the direction of Mr. Richardson the club meets every Monday night at seven-thirty, at the Y. M. C. A. The last Monday in the month the club gives a potluck.

Many interesting meetings have been held, but one of the outstanding of these was the meeting in which the Hi-Y representative from the Orient spoke.

Officers for first semester were: president, Don McAleece; vice president, Rodney McNamera; treasurer, Walter Lorenz; and secretary, John Davies. Officers for second semester were: president, Rodney McNamera; vice president, Wayne Winters; treasurer, Jerry Perriguey, and secretary, Lawrence Lauer.





FIRST ROW: Lorraine Storms, Miriam Lempke, Marian Cabler, Melva O'Shaughnessy, Betty Bitner, Betty Ross, Mary Amber Wolf, Sylvia Bowers.

SECOND ROW: Elda Mertz, Mary Frances Lauer, Oneida Holocher, Miss Leah Austin, (advisor), Bette Davis, Marvel Maxwell, Jane Abbott, Dorothy Lance, Marv Prezebindowski.

THIRD ROW: Marian Lindeman, Shirley Stonecipher, Vivian Martin, Mary Helen Kelly, Margaret Weintritt, Helene Wolff, Virginia Vodde, Mary Bennett, Marie Franke, Alta Bolinger, Anne Tucker.

FOURTH ROW: Alice Koontz, Frances Graft, Ireta Miller, Genevive Boerger, Betty Payton, Jeanne Patrick, Kathryn Simon, Theadorea Collias, Betty Hillman, Bernice Hammond, Jeanette Kellogg.

## Central Triangle Club

Central Triangle Club, under the direction of Miss Leah Austin, is composed of freshman and sophomore girls.

The club which has about forty members meets twice a month.

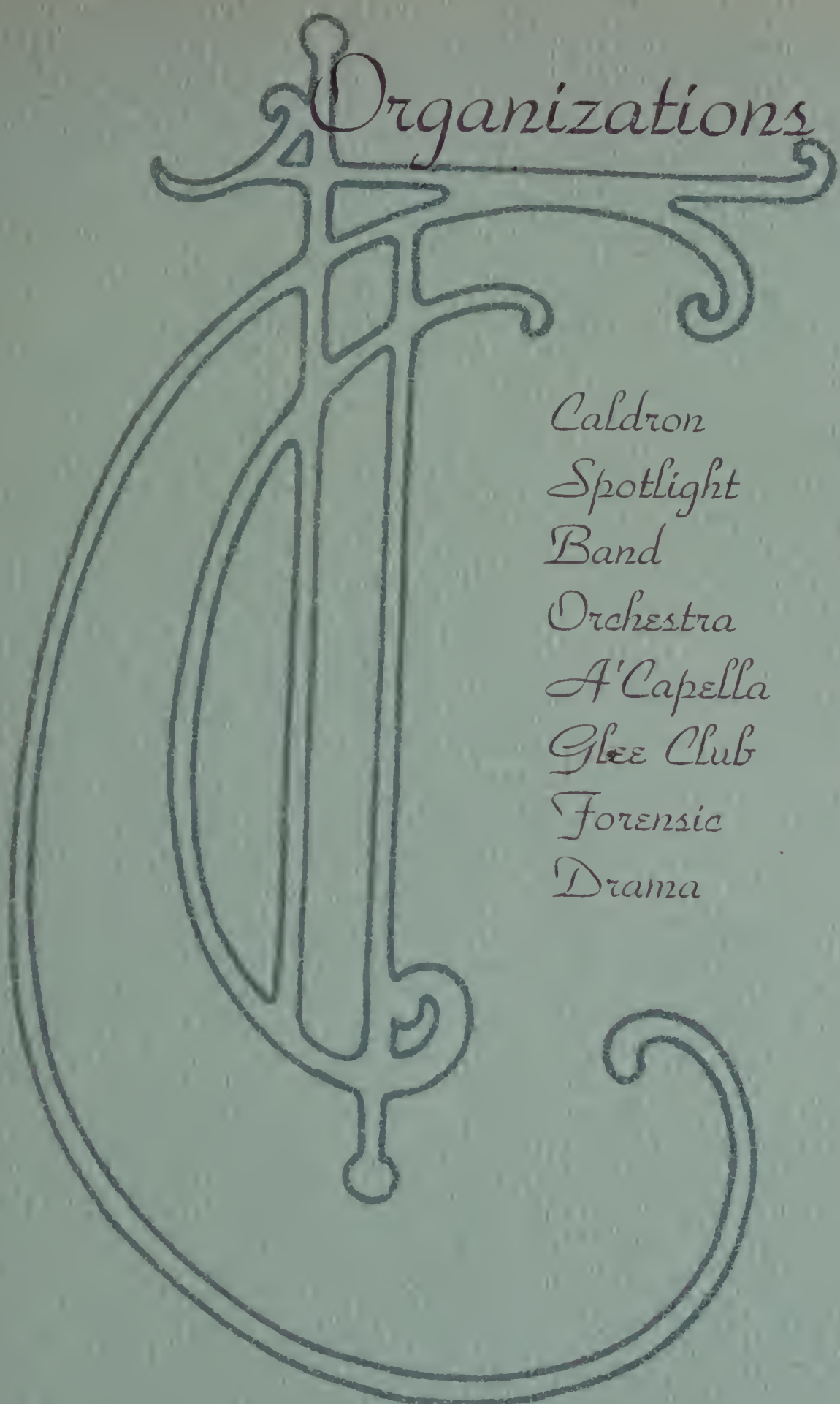
At the beginning of the year, the club gave a membership party, in order to acquaint the members with one another. Also at Valentine Day, another party was given at which games were played, and refreshments in the shape of red jello and candy hearts, were served.

Besides these two parties an unusual meeting was given by the cabinet members. It was an Amateur Broadcasting meeting in which, the child wizard, opera singer, and crazy letters all took part. At this meeting all 9 B girls were invited.

Being charitable and generous in spirit, the service department of the club prepared baskets for the needy on Christmas and Thanksgiving Days, bringing cheer to some poor families.

Officers for the first semester were: president, Marian Cabler; vice-president, Betty Davis; secretary, Norma Exner; treasurer, Marie Franke. The other cabinet members were: Jane Abbott, Jeanne Patrick, Ireta Miller and Anne Tucker. The second semester officers were: president, Betty Davis, vice-president, Marie Franke; secretary, Marian Cabler; and treasurer, Margaret Weintritt. Cabinet members were Anita Oneidaholocher, Mary Francis Lauer, Helene Wolf, and Lenabelle Arnold.





# *Organizations*

*Caldron  
Spotlight  
Band  
Orchestra  
A'Capella  
Glee Club  
Forensic  
Drama*









ROW ONE-Ward Beers, Mary McAnlis, Clara Bente, Ed Stumpf, Cecelia Bolson, Virginia Heller, Miss Austin, advisor.

ROW TWO-Orville Mertz, Eugene Roesener, Victoria Hartman, Mabel Springer, Norman Schroeder.

ROW THREE-Vic Boerger, Bob Smith, Louis Oetting, Orel Sprunger.

## Quill and Scroll



With the two junior class members left over from last year, Ward Beers and Edwin Stumpf, Miss Leah Austin, the advisor of Quill and Scroll selected four new members in September. All four were seniors. They were: Eugene Roesener, Virginia Heller, Mabel Springer, and Cecelia Bolson.

The new members were initiated at the September meeting at Ward Beer's home. Rough and serious initiations were held. At the meetings journalistic problems of the time both in school and outside were discussed by the members, which were held monthly at various member's homes.

At the Christmas meeting, held at Miss Austin's house on Dec. 17, a ten cent gift exchange was held and initial plans for a vodvil skit were discussed. The group decided to have amateur hour, which was fully developed at the next meeting.

Also at Miss Austin's house nine new members of the society were chosen. Eight seniors selected were: Victor Boerger, Louis Oetting, Clara Bente, Robert Smith, Norman Schroeder, Victoria Hartman, and Orel Sprunger. Mary McAnlis was the only junior chosen.

The initiation ceremonies for these nine were conducted at Edwin Stumpf's house on January 27.

At succeeding meetings plans for the annual Quill and Scroll picnic, to be held at one of the lakes in early June, were discussed.

The requirements of Quill and Scroll are for seniors: an average grade of B, a good moral character and one year's outstanding work in publication. For juniors the necessities are much harder, being two year's outstanding work, an average of A, and a good moral character.

Officers are: Edwin Stumpf, president; Virginia Heller, vice-president; and Cecelia Bolson, secretary-treasurer.



*John R. Davies.*

ROW ONE : V. Boerger, J. Crance, E. Stumpf, Mr. W. W. White, E. Roesener, M. Schott R. Shull.

ROW TWO : J. Bash, J. Patrick, E. Lanier, C. Nichols, M. Farrell, M. McAnlis, D. Horn, M. Laner, J. Collins.

ROW THREE : J. Davies, O. Sprunger D. Troxel.

## *The Caldron*



The 1936 Caldron staff started its work for the year with a subscription campaign under the direction of Eugene Roesener, business manager. Because the books are printed in the Central print shop they can be sold for one dollar, fifty percent of the former cost and may be sold in fifty cent installments due December first and April first. Thus it was hoped that more students would be able to buy their yearbook. An extra fee was charged late subscribers, however, twenty five cents if a student did not subscribe until April, and fifty cents if a student bought the Caldron when they were give out.

Four hundred and seventy five Caldrons were printed, four hundred having been subscribed for by April first.

The theme of the Caldron is the three Grecian graces. Grace in school work and everyday living is carried out through the entire book. A blue cover, white paper, and designed inserts emphasized the theme. Fancy letters, heads, were also used.

More pictures embodying gracefulness were used in the Caldron this year. Many were set off by white curves or designs in the background.

Prominence was also given to sports as they portray grace, especial importance being given to the girls sports.

The staff was annouced by Mr. W. W. White, advisor, at the annual publications banquet on May 31. It was as follows: editor, Edwin Stumpf; business manager, Eugene Roesiner; associate editor, Mary McAnlis; senior editors, Virginia Heller, Victor Boerger; junior editors, Jean Collins, John Davies; sophomore editors, Catherine Nickols, Mary Farrell; freshman editors, Jeanne Patrick, Doris Horn; organization editor, Kate Hite; club editor, Jane Bash; art editors, Bob Kutsch, Elizabeth Lanier; sport editors, Orel Sprunger Don Troxel; desk editor, Sara Ochstein; photographer, Melvin Schott.



*Fragmenta*

The *Fragmenta* was first originated in 1919 with the aid of Latin students in Harmar and Jefferson Junior High School. Miss Harrah was the advisor and Stewart Hulse, Editor-in-Chief. The paper was printed by the Harmar School Print Shop. Most of the typing was done by Stewart Hulse. The *Fragmenta* was one of the first Latin papers in the State. The first issue was entirely Latin, but later it was thought better to have the major part in English. The purpose of the first staff was: "An increase in the study of the Latin language; second, to unite the students of Latin in a common interest, and third, to help some and please others."

When Latin was taken out of Junior High curriculum, *Fragmenta Latina* became entirely a project of the Central Latin department. Since the fall of 1933, the paper has become the organ of the entire foreign language department, two pages being devoted to Latin, one to German, and one to French. The name of the paper is now *Fragmenta*. Miss Harrah was the advisor for the first five years, Miss Gertrude Beierlein for the next three years, Miss McKinnie for one year, and Miss Lucassee since the fall of 1928.

The number of exchanges is very large, the following papers being on the exchange list:

The Roanoke Roman, Roanoke, Virginia  
The Palladium, Crawfordsville, Indiana  
The Hesperion, Washington, D. C.  
Tempora Lincolnia, Cleveland, Ohio  
Verba Suprentibus, Washington, D. C.  
Epistolae Scholae, Pontiac, Michigan  
Alipes Nuntius, Hopewell, Virginia  
Nuntius, Los Angeles, California

Unfortunately, the department could not publish a fall issue this year, but but the department heads are glad to announce that the *Fragment* is still alive. At the present writing, plans are under way for the publication of a May number. Orville Mertz of the Latin Department Editor-in-Chief, assisted by Peggy Porter of the French Department, and Marie Franke of the German Department.





FIRST ROW: Norman Schroeder, Louis Oetting, William Hoover, Howard Meads, Ward Beers, Robert Smith, Henry Lantz, Orel Sprunger.

SECOND ROW: J. Wilbur Haley, advisor, Jeanne Fox, Orville Mertz, Victoria Hartman, Mabel Springer, Clara Bente, Pauline Knipple, Anne Nordyke.

THIRD ROW: Catherine Hite, Dorothea Prange, Lillian Hartman, Cecelia Bolson, Ruth Peek, Thelma Springer, Margaret Walker, Don Troxel, Marian Cabler Bernice Hammon, Leonetta MacQueen.

FOURTH ROW: Isabelle Raymond, Jeanette Kellogg, Mary Lou Cory, Dorothy Masursky, Robert Gephard, Gerald, Ottenweller, Jerry Perriguy, Frank Gerard.

## Spotlight



Under the leadership of a new advisor J Wilbur Haley the Spotlight started its work for the semester in August issuing a free paper the first day of school. The major staff was: editor, Ward Beers Managing editor, Mabel Springer; desk editor, Victoria Hartman; news editor Orville Mertz; business manager, Mildred Klopffenstein; ad managers Cecilia Bolson and Pat Tresselt. Honorable recognition in the state publication contest was won by Eugene Roesener for headlining, Robert Smith for his feature column "Stuff" and Donald Troxel for Sports' stories.

A news staff system was inaugurated the second semester. The Major staff included, publisher, Mabel Springer; editor, Orville Mertz; Managing editor Victoria Hartman; desk editor Clara Bente; News editors, Paul Ream and Bill Hoover; Business manager, Louis Oetting; Ad manager, Leonetta Mac Queen.

Four special papers were published during the semester. The Tournament and the Regional News under Orel Sprunger, Sports' editor, the Conference Paper, and the April Fools edition under Robert Smith, feature editor.

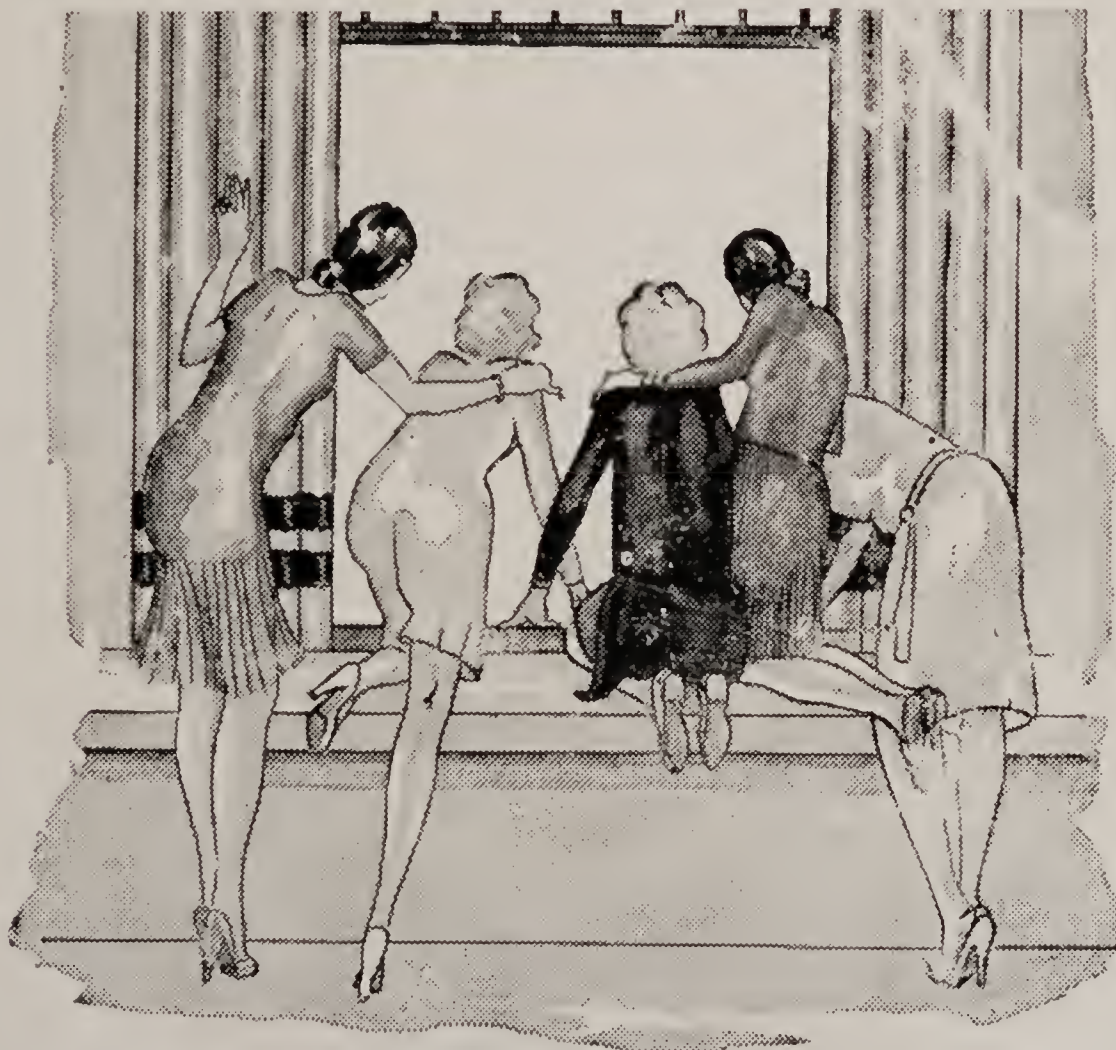
In the National Quill Scroll contest Eugene Roesner, Vivian Rider, and Don Troxel won honorable mention for head lines, adds, and Sports' writing.

During the year '35 - '36 a record in subscriptions was made. 687 subscriptions were sold. The price per semester was lowered from 50 cents to 25 cents.





FIRST ROW: Jerry Perr guev, Bob Larimer, Bruce Hunt, Melvin Schott, Dave Arnold.  
SECOND ROW: Don McAleece, Carl Laymon, Jack Crance, Jeanne Patrick, Mary Koontz,  
Rose Masursky, Joan Sterling, Betty Pollak, Clara Rhodes.  
THIRD ROW: Mary Lauer, Marian Bakalar, Elda Mer z, Anne Boehme, Marjory Miller, Betty  
Kaufman, Ireta Miller, Marie Franke, Marv Farrell, Josephine Freigy, Genevieve Freigy, Irene  
Heim, Irene Krot.  
FOURTH ROW: Ardena Springer, Jerry Ottenweller, Harry Perriguy, Frank Garard, Dwayne  
Scherer, Kathryn Simon, Theodora Collias, Marvel Maxwell, Helen Ashley, Marian Hillyer,  
Jean Lorenz



PLANNING THE NEXT ONE



## Senior Play "Shavings"



The class of 1936 was accredited with having one of the most successful senior plays in the history of Central.

The play, "Shavings", was given twice, a matinee and an evening performance on Friday, November 17th.

Much credit goes to the stage crew which spent much unrewarded time working on the elaborate setting. The scene was a work shop, filled with toys of all kinds, which belonged to a good-natured, philosophizing old man, Jed Winslow, who was played very well by Robert Smith.

The plot was centered around a life long feud between Phin Babbit, played, by Bill Hoover and Sam Hunniwell, portrayed by Orville Mertz. To complicate, things, Leander Babbit, characterized by Bruce Hunt upon returning from war, fell in love with Peggy Hunniwell. Another love affair takes place between Mrs. Armstrong, a widow taken by Mildred Hawkins, and the Major played by Max Ochstein. Other characters were; Gabe, Leroy Pontius; Bobby Lester Carey; the uncle, Jack Tucker; the saleslady, Kathleen McKay. The part of Peggy Hunniwell was played by Vivian Rider.













"The Pirates Parade" 1936 Senior Caldron Vexvil  
PIRATES SAILORS CELEBRITIES DANCERS SINGERS  
CHORINES ACTORS MUSICIANS ETC. ETC.

Eldon  
Baker





ORCHESTRA



BAND



## *The Orchestra*



Under the capable direction of Mr. Gaston Bailhe, the orchestra has rapidly enlarged in the last six years. During this time the orchestra has participated in district, state, and national contests.

The orchestra placed in the first division with the Elkhart orchestra at the district meet, and competed in the state finals at Evansville last year.

Individual members, Irvén Jensen, Marguerite Baker, Kathleen Bolyard, John Broom and Ruth Seigel; won national honors at Madison, Wisconsin.

The orchestra has also given concerts at the local schools. The present membership of the orchestra is composed of approximately fifty members, although possessing only fourteen in 1930. Due to the large enrollment the orchestra is well togged with blue Russian blouses and white trousers.

## *The Band*



Marching in their brilliant blue and white uniforms, with their drum major, Lester Doell, strutting up and down, the Central Band creates a fine spectacle wherever they may be. Last year their impressive marching and playing won a silver baton in a district contest at Goshen.

This year, due to Central being host to the Sectional Basketball Tournament, the Blue and Whites' band performed in the capacity of official tourney band.

Five years ago, Central band was composed of fifteen members; today it has sixty members. It also possesses new uniforms and instruments which were bought with the donations from other clubs, and concerts given by the orchestra.





FIRST ROW- Violet Battenberg

SECOND ROW- Josephine Freigy, Ethel Margolies, Raydein Voltemark, Viola Green, Peggy Meese  
Helen Phinney, Shirley Stonicipher.

THIRD ROW- Mr. Bailhe, Mildred Yingling, Genevieve Freigy, Emma Ellison, Martha Gauze,  
Ruth Seigle.

FOURTH ROW- Marcella Boese, Lillian Rodgers, Leonetta MacQueen, Mary Koons, and Evelyn  
Ann Warfield.

## *A'Capella Choir*



The A'Capella Choir is an honorary club which is made from selected voices from the girls' glee club. This choir has been organized for four years under the leadership of Mr. Bailhe.

This choir is rapidly coming one of the foremost projects of the school as it has worked out a program which has never before been followed by any choir in Central.

Last year the choir gave a joint benefit program with the band on November 6, 1935. This year a tea dance and party were given and the profit was added to other funds and blue and white choir robes were bought.

The officers are somewhat responsible for the choir's success, because it was their enthusiastic alertness that has made the 1936 year successful. The present officers are:

President	Leonetta MacQueen
Vice President	Genevieve Freigy
Secretary & Treasurer	Josephine Freigy
Business Manager	Peggy Meese
Librarian	Marv Koons



## Operetta



The operetta, "Ring Up the Curtain," was given May the eighth and ninth in three performances. The money taken in will be used to buy supplies for the music department.

The theme of the operetta was a program of music and was divided into three divisions Part 1 represented three forms of entertainment which were in vogue about the same time. The first scene represented the mid-nineteenth century type of sentimental popular ballad and popular group country dance. The interlude recalls the early music hall days. Part 2 is a glimpse of the early minstrel show, before it's decline, and Part 3 a regular vaudeville filled with popular songs and modern dances.

Some of the numbers in the operetta were "Beautiful Dreamer," "Old Zip Coon," "Oh! Dem Golden Slippers," "In the Good Old Summer Time" and many others, including currently popular songs.

The operetta was a different type from those given in previous years, but proved to be a very successful musical extravaganza.





ROW ONE: J. Wilcoxsen, J. Sterling, M. Brand, Mr. A. A. Coil, P. Knipple, I. Marbaugh, H. Long.

ROW TWO: R. Heine, M. Ochstein, R. Smith, P. Schwehn, M. Meier, H. O'Shaughnessy, F. Bliss, R. Duell.

## Speech



Speech work has earned for itself a spot in the limelight of extra-curricular activities at Central High School. Its trophies and honors are becoming equal to those of football and basketball. Yet, as compared with football and basketball, little is known of these speech activities by those not directly connected with them. For these reasons, we should like to pass on a bit of information.

There are seven distinct phases of speech work at Central aside from the regular speech classes. These are first, debates; second, the extemporaneous events; third, the state discussion contest; fourth, the declamation contest; fifth, oratorical events; sixth, social activities; and last but by no means least affairs to earn money with which to finance the other events.

The state oratorical contest sponsored by the Indiana State Bar Association was discontinued in 1932, but the citizenship department of the Fort Wayne Woman's Club has continued to sponsor a city oratorical contest for the high schools of the city.

Among the extemporaneous activities, we find the Kigar contest, Freshman-Sophomore contest, the Rotary Club contest, and the City Extemporaneous contest. The Kigar contest is probably the one of the greatest school importance. Robert H. Smith was judged winner of this contest in the fall semester.

Central has always held her own in debating circles. This year particularly, since she has advanced well into the state finals at this time. Columbia City, Larwill, Bippus, Huntington Tw'p., Ossian, Angola, Albion, Wolf Lake,



Lafayette-Central, North Side, and Central made up the Northeastern Indiana Debate League for 1935-36 whose champion is chosen on a percentage basis. This fall Central was the N. E. I. C. League champion with a percent of one hundred. There is also a State Debate League. The state is divided into districts, the districts make up sections and the sections compose regions. The regional winner competed at Manchester College to determine the state winners. At the time of this writing, Central High School's debate teams are the sectional winners and are preparing to meet their opponent, Elwood, in the regional contest.

To promote interest in declaiming, Mr. John Reising, a Central mathematics instructor, has for the fifth year, offered cash awards to the first, second, and third place winners in the school contest. Mr. Reising presented to Central this year, a loving cup award for permanent use in recognizing contest winners in the local contest. The winner of first place had his name engraved on this permanent cup. This award is in addition to the cash prizes.

Because more students enter the contest each year and we thus find competition becomes much keener, and because the public is awakening to the appreciation of good oratory, the Kiwanis Club has inaugurated a city-wide declamation contest. The Reising contest serves as a means of selecting Central's outstanding student in this activity.

In order that this department did not have all work and no play, they had at least four annual social affairs with potlucks sprinkled here and there throughout the year. One event was the annual picnic held at Swinney Park early in the fall and at which new speech members were initiated. Another bit of enjoyment was the annual chicken dinner given by the debate coach, Mr. A. A. Coil, to those members of the debate squad who had worked faithfully throughout the season. It was held at Mr. Coil's country home and it was at this time that the debaters indulged in food and discovered that their sufficiencies were fanciful. In the spring, on May 14, the speech students and those interested in speech work, held their annual banquet. On December 6 and 7 the debators mingled a little fun with their search for knowledge when they went to Purdue University at Lafayette, Indiana, for the annual state debate conference. In addition to enjoying various social activities in their honor, they heard various authorities on debate. These included a debate on the high school topic, state medicine, between two college teams.

This year, through the cooperation of the Honor Society, Booster Club and Dr. Lyman T. Rawles, Central has recognized her varsity debaters by presenting them with Central sweaters. This presentation to Helen Long, Maxine Brand, Max Ochstein, and Paul Schwehn on March 11, made Central the only school in this part of Indiana to so honor her debaters.

Those students who brought honor to Central by debating were Helen Long, Max Ochstien, Maxine Brand, and Paul Schwehn as varsity debaters; Jo Anne Sterling, Gayous Brindle, Robert Duell, Raymond Heine, Io Marbaugh, Frances Bliss, and Pauline Knipple as members of the squad. In the County Discussion Contest, Central was represented by Robert Duell and Jo Anne Sterling. Extemporaneous activities claimed Max Ochstein, Helen Long, and Robert Smith. Then too, Herschel O'Shaughnessy and Jo Anne Sterling represented Central in a radio broadcast. All in all, a successful and satisfying year has been brought to a close as Mr. Coil completes his fifth year as speech teacher and coach at Central High School.





*Snap shots in the Art Department, Central High School  
"Where the Graces abound"*



## National Honor Society

Catherine Baker	Robert Kutsch
Ward Beers	Helen Long
Clara Bente	Kathleen McKay
Jean Beierdorfer	Morton Meier
Victor Boerger	Orville Mertz
Cecelia Bolson	Max Ochstein
Jaehn Charlton	Louis Oetting
Lester Doell	Ruth Peek
Lillian Hartman	Eugene Roesener
Victoria Hartman	Norman Schroeder
Mildred Hawkins	Steve Sitko
Virginia Heller	Robert Smith
William Hoover	Mabel Springer
Bruce Hunt	Edwin Stumpf
Fred Kabisch	Geraldine Uhl
Mildred Klopfcstein	

## Four Year Honor Roll

Orville Mertz .....	95.23	Ward Beers .....	91.27
Louis Oetting .....	95.13	Mildred Klopfcstein .....	91.19
Eugene Roesener .....	94.36	Virginia Heller .....	91.11
Edwin Stumpf .....	93.26	Clara Bente .....	90.75
Lillian Hartman .....	93.13	Helen Long .....	90.75
Cecelia Bolson .....	93.09	Jean Beiersdorfer .....	90.61
Norman Schroeder .....	93	Morton Meier .....	90.51
Robert Smith .....	92.80	Margaret Colley .....	90.18
Victoria Hartman .....	92.22	Robert Kutsch .....	90
Edward Hoffman .....	91.96	Kathleen McKay .....	90
Mabel Springer .....	91.93	Don McAleece .....	90
Mildred Hawkins .....	91.92	Ruth Peek .....	90
Victor Boerger .....	91.56	Steve Sitko .....	90



My Pals

Bonnie Lash  
Ruphina Begram

Maurice Deatrick  
Ether Glen Charlton











Estimable Mr. H. L. H.

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V. R. H.





